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DISSENTERS OUT OF THE BJP's NATIONAL EXECUTIVE TEAM

The 80-member body has Union ministers and influential newcomers like Mithun Chakraborty and Dinesh Trivedi

SWAMY, MANEKA GANDHI, VARUN DROPPED

Maneka Gandhi and son Varun were dropped hours after the latter's tweet on the Lakhimpur Kheri violence. Subramanian Swamy, vocal critic of the leadership, too, was removed. Choudhary Birendra Singh, who recently shared the dais with Om Prakash Chautala, was axed. Prahlad Singh Patel lost his slot perhaps after his name cropped up in the Pegasus list | P9

HEADY MIX OF VETERANS, NEWCOMERS

- Smriti Irani made a comeback. Heavyweights like Amit Shah, Rajnath Singh and Nitin Gadkari retained their positions
- S P S Baghel and Dara Singh Chouhan, both imports from the BSP with strong following in the backward castes, were inducted
- Veterans L K Advani and Murli Manohar Joshi have been retained

Nov 7

WHEN THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE MEETS FOR THE FIRST TIME IN TWO YEARS

CHENNAI • MADURAI • VIJAYAWADA • BENGALURU • KOCHI • HYDERABAD • VISAKHAPATNAM • COIMBATORE • KOZHIKODE • THIRUVANANTHAPURAM • BELAGAVI • BHUBANESWAR • SHIVAMOGGA • MANGALURU • TIRUPATI • TIRUCHY • TIRUNELVELI • SAMBALPUR • HUBBALLI • DHARMAPURI • KOTTAYAM • KANNUR • VILLUPURAM • KOLLAM • WARANGAL • TADEPALLIGUDEM • NAGAPATTINAM • THRISSUR • KALABURAGI

Terrorists gun down principal, teacher in Srinagar school

Distraught family members of Deepak Chand, a teacher from Jammu who was killed in a terrorist attack at a government school in Idgah area of downtown Srinagar, on Thursday | PTI

KILL ME ALSO, SAYS KOUR's MOTHER

A pall of gloom descended on the house of Supinder Kour, whose relatives are yet to come to terms with her death. "Kill me also," wailed her mother even as relatives made futile attempts to console her. "What had she done? She was a teacher. She has small kids. *Aag lage is Kashmir ko* (let this Kashmir burn)," she said

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

TERRORISTS barged into a government school on Thursday and shot dead its principal and a teacher at point-blank range, in a shocking escalation of targeting civilians here in the last few days. As many as seven civilians have been killed in the Valley in just five days.

Thursday's attack happened when the teachers were taking online classes. No student was in school at the time of the incident.

The deceased were identified as principal Supinder Kour from Aloochibagh in uptown Srinagar, and Deepak Chand from Jammu. Police said the terrorists entered the Government Boys Higher Secondary School at Sangam around 11.15 am and opened fire. While Deepak died on the spot, Supinder succumbed on the way to a hospital. Two days ago, a prominent Kashmiri Pandit chemist, Makhan Lal Bindroo, and two others were killed in similar attacks.

Claiming responsibility for Thursday's attack, terrorist outfit The Resistance Front claimed it was a retributive strike against those who had allegedly harassed parents into making their wards attend the August 15 Independence Day functions.

Soon after the attack, security forces launched a search for the assailants, but no arrest was reported till the time of going to press.

Meanwhile, terrorists lobbed a grenade at a CRPF bunker in Safakadal in Srinagar on Thursday night, but there was no loss of life. Officials said the grenade hit the netting of the bunker and exploded on the roadside. P10

WILL GIVE BEFITTING REPLY: L-G

Lt Governor Manoj Sinha condemned the killings and said a befitting reply would be given to the perpetrators. "The terrorists and their patrons will not succeed in disturbing peace, progress and prosperity of J&K," Sinha tweeted. Leaders cutting across party lines as also social and religious groups condemned the attack

Early signs of water contamination were ignored: Villagers

KIRAN BALANNANAVAR @ Makarabbi (Hoovina Hadagali)

EVEN as the death toll in Makarabbi village in Hoovina Hadagali taluk of Vijayanagara district is rising, the villagers have claimed that the administration ignored early warnings of water contamination. It was in early September that the first person got sick after consuming contaminated water, but the local administration did not react till over 100 people got admitted to various hospitals, they say.

Villagers claim that contamination of drinking water started after the Jal Jeevan Mission project work was taken up | KIRAN BALANNANAVAR

The village, with a population of 2,000, has four borewells out of which water from three have been declared as unfit for consumption. A section of villages have claimed that the ongoing works to provide piped water to houses had damaged the water pipeline, leading to drainage water mixing with it.

In the last three weeks, the village has reported six deaths. But the villagers claim that the toll may rise further as many people are under treatment in ICUs. Goneppa Anagaragatti (55), Basamma Havanur (70), Laxmavva Karagangoudar (48), Nilappa Belavagi (60) and Kenchamma Haranakatti (70) from Makarabbi village have died so far. Meanwhile, senior IAS officer Munish Moudgil, who is heading a team tasked with investigating the deaths, visited the village on Thursday, interacted with the villagers and collected details. P7

UP summons out for minister's son

State scrambles to take action as SC seeks report

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

WITH the Supreme Court breathing down its neck demanding a status report on probe into the Lakhimpur Kheri violence within 24 hours, the UP Police tried to get its act together, arresting two aides of the main accused Ashish Mishra and detaining three others here on Thursday.

As for Ashish, son of Union minister Anil Mishra, he has been summoned to appear at the Lakhimpur police lines for interrogation at 10 am on Friday. "We have summoned him. We will record his statement," said Laxmi Singh, Inspector General of Police, Lucknow zone. The summons notice was pasted at the Lakhimpur residence of Ajay Mishra.

Earlier in the day, the Supreme Court had asked the state government to submit a full report by Friday after taking suo motu cognisance of the matter.

The two arrested persons were identified as Luvkush and Ashish Pandey. Their arrest happened full four days after the violence that led to the killing of eight persons, including four farmers and a journalist, indicated the police were dragging their feet till now. "The accused named in the FIR have been called for questioning. If they don't turn up, we will go to court and follow due legal process," the IG told this newspaper, adding teams have been set up for their arrest and questioning.

Significantly, the IG confirmed the recovery of empty bullet shells from the violence site. The FIR lodged on the basis of the farmers' complaint alleged that Ashish opened fire after getting down from a car that mowed down the protestors. "In the light of this, the incident site was meticulously probed by a metal detector today," a police statement later said.

The IG also said the arrested persons have given a lot of information. "During interrogation, they confirmed the presence of three others who were killed in the violence." The IG was, however, cagey on whether they confirmed Ashish's presence in one of the cars that rammed into the protestors from behind. Bharatiya Kisan Union leader Rakesh Singh Tikait has demanded Ashish's arrest by October 12.

Meanwhile, the UP government named retired Allahabad High Court judge Pradeep Kumar Srivastava as the head of the single-member judicial commission that will investigate the violence.

Probe trajectory

Additional Director General of Police S N Sabat said events unfolded only after the "accident". Anyone behind the wheel has complete control over the vehicle and is 100% responsible for it, he said, adding others in the vehicle could have a reason to 'instigate or abet' whatever happened

I-T dept raids 50 locations across state

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Directorate General of Income Tax (DGIT), Karnataka on Thursday carried out simultaneous search and seizure operations at nearly 50 locations in the state, including Bengaluru, in connection with alleged tax evasion and amassing wealth more than the known sources of income.

Though the DGIT has been tight-lipped about the searches and seizures, sources said the tax sleuths reportedly searched the premises of a person close to a former chief minister. The raids were conducted on the premises of some contractors, engineers and chartered accountants, who are involved in key irrigation projects in the state. Besides Bengaluru, the raids were conducted in Tumakuru, Bagalkot, Belagavi, Vijayapura and Davangere, said sources.

Among the entities searched is Satyanarayana Construction Company's site office at Singrihalli village near Elerampura in Koratagere taluk of Tumakuru district. P4

WON'T AFFECT GOVT: CM

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Thursday said he is gathering information about the raids. He insis-ted that it won't affect the govern-ment and added that he can only comment after he has all details.

NPAs set to rise as stress in retail loans deepens

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Hyderabad

IN July this year, retail loans overtook corporate credit, perhaps for the first time in Indian banking history. The trend continued in August, and it is likely that in Q2, the aggregate retail loan book of banks will surpass their corporate counterpart by a modest mile.

But the celebratory cheer could be short-lived due to rising bad loans. According to India Ratings, overall stressed assets in the retail segment will likely touch 5.8% of total advances by the end of FY22 from 2.9% a year before. In Q1 alone, according to Care Ratings, gross NPAs in retail and MSME loans of PSU banks rose to 7.28% from 6% the previous year. The incidence of bad loans was less intense for private banks at 3.32%.

To contain the stress, lenders have mounted massive restructuring this fiscal. For instance, SBI restructured loans worth ₹20,000 crore in Q1, of which retail personal loans were at ₹9,000 crore. These include unsecured loans, personal loans, home, auto and education loans. But unlike in the past when NPA woes were limited to state-run lenders, this time private banks will equally face the music given their foothold in retail sector. India Ratings believes the asset quality impact in retail sector has been significantly higher for private banks, forcing them to restructure loans helping to defer immediate rise in slippages.

BRITAIN BLINKS

INDIANS OUT OF ITS QUARANTINE LIST

The UK said on Thursday there will be no quarantine for Indian travellers if they are either fully vaccinated with Covishield or any another UK-approved Covid-19 jab. The rule will come into effect from Monday, October 11, British High Commissioner to India Alex Ellis tweeted on Thursday | P9

world egg day
think egg
Nature's Premium Protein Food
EGG
Egg gives the whole some goodness of proteins, vitamins and minerals of a variety of different foods. With 14 key nutrients egg is nutrition dense food and the cheapest too. Eating egg everyday makes you fit, strong, healthy and of course a WINNER too. On this World Egg Day, let's resolve to take an Egg everyday.
On the occasion of World Egg Day,
NECC wishes everyone for a strong and healthy life.
NECC
NATIONAL EGG CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE
Sunday ho ya Monday,
Roz Khao Ande.

EXPRESS READ

Four-storeyed building collapses in Bengaluru

Bengaluru: A four-storeyed building collapsed in Kasturinagar here on Thursday, becoming the third structure to crash in just under two weeks. No casualties or injuries were reported. P2

NATIONWIDE	OCT 6	OCT 7
Fresh cases	18,833	22,431
Recoveries	24,770	24,602
Deaths	278	318

KARNATAKA	OCT 6	OCT 7
Fresh cases	523	442
Recoveries	621	635
Deaths	9	7

No change to Balabrooie for now, says K'taka High Court

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court, in an interim on Thursday, said status quo should be maintained with regard to the heritage building Balabrooie Guest House, which has been proposed to be converted into a Constitution Club for legislators. The structure was constructed in the city in 1850.

A division bench of Acting Chief Justice Satish Chandra Sharma and Justice Sachin Shankar Magadum made it clear that the guest house shall not be allotted to any organisation and that no trees should be felled on the premises, till further orders.

The court was hearing an interlocutory application filed by Dattatraya T Devare and Bangalore Environment Trust against the plan to convert the Balabrooie Guest House, which houses large heritage trees which are more than 150-200 years old, into a Constitution Club.

During the hearing, the Additional Advocate General vehemently argued that no decision has been taken so far on converting the heritage building into a club and on felling of trees. P4

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ALMANAC TODAY
• Friday: 08/10/2021 • Year: Plava • Ayana: Dakshinayana
• Ritu: Sharad • Masa: Ashwayuja • Paksha: Shukla • Tithi: Dwitheeya 1.17 pm
• Nakshatra: Swathi 10.34 pm • Moon in Vrischika Rashi • Rahukaala: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm
• Gulikakala: 07:30 am to 09:00 am Yamaganda: 01:30 pm to 03:00 pm

WEATHER
MIN 20°C | MAX 28°C
FORECAST
Tstorms late. Cloudy

Sunrise 6.09 am
Sunset 6.05 pm
Moonrise 7.46 am
Moonset 7.46 pm

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BBMP personnel take up demolition of the building which collapsed at Doctors Layout in Kasturi Nagar, on Thursday | EXPRESS

ANOTHER BUILDING IN CITY CRASHES, NO CASUALTIES

Creaking sounds alerted residents; owner had built additional floor illegally

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

IN just under two weeks, Bengaluru saw a third building collapse in Doctors' Layout, Kasturi Nagar, on Thursday afternoon, just as a few residents managed to vacate their homes in the nick of time.

Only three of the eight flats in the four-storey building were occupied when the incident occurred. The first signs that the eight-year-old building was about to collapse were a series of strange creaking sounds. Ambarish Pandey, a resident, tried to run out of the house while alerting others to evacuate, just as the building started to tilt and then collapse on one side. Pandey and two other tenants -- Ankush Agarwal and Sanjana Pawate – were rescued by fire and emergency personnel who arrived on the scene after being alerted about the creaking sounds. Other residents quickly managed to get out of the building, while Pandey, Agarwal, and Sanjana lagged. However, no casualties were reported, and neither were there any injuries.

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Chief Commissioner Gaurav Gupta, who rushed to the site, said after the inspection, that the structure was built in 2013 after taking permission to build a two-storey structure. But the building owner, Ayesha Baig, is alleged to have decided to add floors "illegally". The case is now being investigated. Baig had leased four of the eight flats to tenants. The remaining flats were vacant. BBMP officials filed a case against the builder for violating norms, and further investigations will be done, Gupta said. A team of police personnel supervised the demolished building, even as BBMP officials evacuated residents of adjacent buildings as a precautionary measure.

Meanwhile, Agarwal, who has been living in the ill-fated building for the last four-and-a-half years, said he was sleeping when he heard creaking sounds and got alerted.

On September 27, a dilapidated 70-year-old three-storey building collapsed in Subbaraju Layout of Lakksandra in Adugodi police station limits. The building housed 60 people, who had gone out to work when the incident occurred, hence, no casualties were reported.

On September 28, a ground-plus-two residential quarter of the Bangalore Milk Union Ltd (BAMUL) employees near Dairy Circle, collapsed around 9.25 am. Nine families had a miraculous escape as they ran out to save their lives. The BAMUL quarters were constructed more than 35 years ago.

Late on Thursday evening, the BBMP said that it had taken up operation to clear the site with all safety measures in place. The Fire and Emergency Services personnel were also at the spot, the Palike said.

Residents of the collapsed building narrate the incident to the police | VINOD KUMAR T

SC to take up plea on BBMP election

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

THE Supreme Court has taken up the long-pending matter of holding elections to the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) council, while hearing a special leave appeal on October 6. "Upon being mentioned by the learned counsel appearing for the respondent, seeking urgent listing of the matters, the registry is directed to list these matters after four weeks before an appropriate bench for final disposal."

The appeal was filed by former corporators and the State Election Commission (SEC) officials.

An SEC official, on condition of anonymity, said "The State Government is portraying us as villains on the issue of holding BBMP polls, but we are doing our duty and following the Karnataka High Court directions."

"We want due procedures to be followed and elections to be held. But the State Government does not seem to be keen. The matter was not being listed for hearing in the Supreme Court after a stay was ordered in the Karnataka High Court. Now, since the matter is being pushed up again, it does not seem to have gone down well with government officials," said the official.

Former corporators who have appealed for speedy elections, said the High Court had clearly ordered holding of elections and did not show any partiality. "Now the acceptance of the special leave petition is a victory against the government, it shows that no new tricks can be played."

Ensure quality work while filling potholes: HC

Bengaluru: Granting two weeks' time to BBMP to file a status report on the number of potholes filled in the city, a division bench of Acting Chief Justice Satish Chandra Sharma and Justice Sachin Shankar Magadum of the Karnataka High Court on Thursday directed the civic agency to ensure quality work is carried out so the potholes don't resurface after a couple of months. BBMP counsel KN Puttegowda submitted that they have undertaken the task of filling potholes in the entire city with a single agency. However, they could achieve their goals due to incessant rain. "Wherever there is urgency, BBMP is filling up potholes on a priority basis," he argued. The court adjourned the hearing to November 15, 2021.

DOLL FESTIVAL

Colourful dolls on display at the Navratri Gombe Habba at Karnataka Chitrakala Parishath. The 10-day festivities kicked off on Thursday | VINOD KUMAR T

Suresh Kumar takes up vendors' cause

ENS @ Bengaluru

FORMER education minister Suresh Kumar has taken up the cause of street vendors, who are affected by the ban on the use of megaphones. In an emotional appeal to City Police Commissioner Kamal Pant, he asked the department to keep in mind the situation these vendors are in due to the pandemic.

In a three-page letter to Pant, he said, "Your department has passed an order based on complaints by a few residents, banning the use of loudspeakers by vendors selling vegetables and fruits... Have you ever given a thought to their hardships and financial crisis...?"

The Covid-19 situation and lockdown severely hit vendors and their daily earnings, he said. "These people are not employees who get their salary on the first of every month. They walk for miles together, undeterred by the sun, rain, and cold..." Calling it "unfair" to ask them to scream to advertise their wares, he said it would be better to create awareness on the use of loudspeakers.

STPs ON SITE

BDA to give alternative sites to 29 allottees

S LALITHA @Bengaluru

BANGALORE Development Authority (BDA) has finally decided to allot alternative sites to the allottees in Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Layout (NPKL) whose sites were allegedly taken away by the BDA to build two mega Sewage Treatment Plants (STPs) a couple of years ago. It was alleged that the BDA, without any notification, took away 65 sites falling within Challaghatta and Bheemanakuppe villages (Block V and VI), to build STPs. These plants, planned in different locations within these blocks, were relocated after facing objections from the localities.

BDA Secretary V Ananda told The New Indian Express that the process of providing alternate sites had been completed. "A total of 65 allottees in Block V and VI in the Layout had lost their sites because of the STP. We had already given sites to 36 site losers nearly two months ago. The remaining 29 of the allottees will be given the sites in a couple of days through randomisation system that will take place at the BDA chairman's office within two days. They will be given sites in the same block they were allotted earlier," he said. Commissioner Rajesh Gowda said he had already given "in principle" the move to provide alternate sites to those impacted.

It was sheer agony for the individuals who lost their sites as they were allotted after multiple attempts. Sham Jujare, member of NPKL Progressive Forum, a group of site allottees, said, "Due to the opposition from landlords and localities who were worried about the foul smell and discharge from the STPs, the originally planned venue for the sites was shifted to these locations. We have been repeatedly asking BDA to provide justice to them."

Sixty-year-old Nataraj, who got one in his seventh attempt, said, "I had used my retirement savings and took a bank loan to buy the site for Rs 10.5 lakh in November 2018. By March 2019, I registered it and got the khata too. When I visited, I found all infra work had stopped and an STP was being built."

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

08th October: My planet of the day is Mercury, the ruler of choice. Whenever this planet raises its head, as it does today, we are encouraged to exercise our free will, face up to decisions which we have delayed for far too long and communicate with people whom we have ignored when we should have talked to them.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
You may tend to exaggerate or over-dramatise both your successes and the difficulties you face, but this is all par for the course for the Arien personality. Try and be a little more realistic, though. The simple reason is that, if you're not, you'll run into a series of misunderstandings.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
Important changes really are a foot, there's no doubt about that. However, partners and other people to whom you are close, will demand proof of your intentions together with suitable guarantees that you are genuinely capable of fulfilling your commitments.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Someone you trust still seems prone to letting you down, or trying to duck out of a commitment. Don't worry. It's all due to Mercury's wonderful motion, one day clearing up all your doubts, the next sowing confusion in your personal and intimate affairs.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
You may sometimes wonder why you take such trouble to keep people informed of your plans and intentions when they react with such indifference or ingratitude. Still, they are the losers, not you. And, with that in mind, work out what you can do next.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
Perhaps it's because the Sun is your planetary ruler that you take other people's support and loyalty for granted. Yet events of the past few days may have taught you that you have no right to expect to get something for nothing. That's a necessary lesson, I'm afraid!

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
All forms of travel and communication are to the fore now, and it seems very much as if you will be getting away for purely social reasons. You can now expect to hear from loved ones who are far away, and the result may be a family gathering or celebration.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Never forget how important it is to pay credit where credit is due, otherwise you will not be able to rely on partners' sympathy and encouragement in future. You really do have a great deal to be thankful for. For one thing, next year is going to bring unprecedented success in one of your treasured ambitions.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Financial decisions are looming, as you know only too well. Some time within the next two or three weeks you must decide one way or the other, however attractive different alternatives may seem. You're definitely looking for a way out - but which way is it to be? That is the question!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Mercury maintains its helpful alignment with your sign today, good enough reason to arrange interviews, attend important meetings and hold vital discussions. For the next few weeks you will be at your most persuasive, and your words will be backed by rare emotional force.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
Since you have already coped with a good deal of adversity in your life, you should be extremely well placed to cope with a problematic planetary picture which is now emerging. Other people may soon be coming to you for advice. You'll have to respond to each case in turn.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
It's time to shatter a few preconceived ideas and prove just how well you can get on without other people if the need arises. What transpires over the next few days will surely reinforce your confidence. And, once it does so, you will be ready to face the world again.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
Events that are taking place now are perhaps insufficient to restore your confidence or raise your morale. Only you can do this. In addition to which, you can only do it by taking a good, long look at your successes and achievements so far - as well as your failures!

THE PHANTOM

HI AND LOIS

SUMMER VACATION IS ALMOST OVER.
SCHOOL STARTS NEXT WEEK.
I'M ACTUALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO GETTING BORED WITH OTHER PEOPLE AGAIN.
ME TOO.

BEETLE BAILEY

BLONDIE

AREN'T YOU GOING SWIMMING?
CAN'T
WE HAVE TO POST PICS!!
KIDS TODAY SURE WORK HARD ON VACATION
HONEY, POINT YOUR TOES...IT'LL MAKE A FUNNY PICTURE

LOCKHORNS

"LORETTA TENDS TO BE PASSIVE-AGGRESSIVE ABOUT EVERYTHING."

DENNIS THE MENACE

"WITH A CALENDAR YOU CAN SEE INTO THE FUTURE, BUT IF YOU WANNA KNOW THE DETAILS, YOU'LL NEED A FORTUNE TELLER!"

SU DO KU

Easy: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

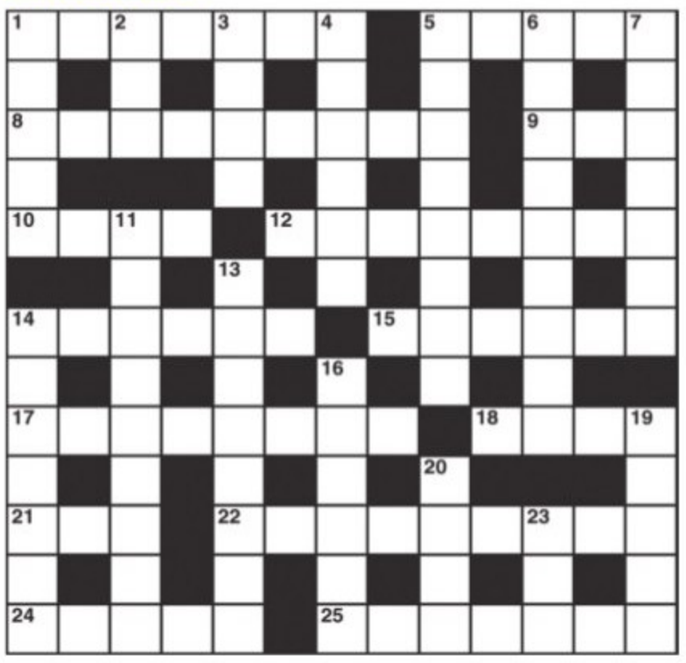
Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

7		2		4	1		3	
	5	4				1		2
			7		2			
3		9	2	5			1	6
			6		9			
6	1			3	8	2		7
			3		5			
5		1				7	4	
	2		1	7		8		3

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

8	5	6	1	9	4	3	7	2
4	1	3	7	2	8	5	9	6
7	2	9	6	5	3	1	4	8
5	9	1	8	3	6	7	2	4
6	7	2	9	4	1	8	5	3
3	8	4	2	7	5	9	6	1
1	6	5	4	8	7	2	3	9
9	3	8	5	6	2	4	1	7
2	4	7	3	1	9	6	8	5

CROSS WORD



ACROSS
1 Fundamental shifting in cargo (7)
5 Is classified as military distinctions (5)
8 US rifle is adapted for infantrymen (9)
9 It's sticky to chew (3)
10 How fire can become widespread (4)
12 Cheer up when the right man is about (8)
14 Slips in proofs of humanity? (6)
15 Shooting star's remote origins (6)
17 A new look for cars here (8)
18 Space evolved a long time back (4)
21 Potted plant leaves (3)
22 It keeps locks in good order (9)
24 Cried for a drink (5)
25 Dull fashion dies out (7)

DOWN
1 Bid for a chest without a top (5)
2 Gossip that could cook one's goose (3)
3 Wriggly line on the map of Africa (4)
4 Fruit woman within call (6)
5 Reconciled to having had to give up work (8)
6 Sleepwear in unusual gathering (5,4)
7 Remains as a group of students (7)
11 Strong line taken at a trade exhibition? (4,5)
13 A rest for every living being (8)
14 Wandering man about desert (7)
16 Screenplay many tear up in a way (6)
19 Chase around wanting treatment? (5)
20 Not yet up in the garden (4)
23 Initially thought by some to come from outer space (3)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS
Across: 1 Stud farm, 5 Scar, 9 Relic, 10 Schemes, 11 Off the record, 13 Ousted, 14 Africa, 17 Labour of love, 20 Willing, 21 Early, 22 Reed, 23 Dressers.

Down: 1 Sort, 2 Uplifts, 3 Face the music, 4 Rested, 6 Cameo, 7 Residual, 8 Cheerfulness, 12 Follower, 15 Inverse, 16 Forger, 18 Bulge, 19 Ayes.

JUMBLE By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

NLNIE

MAFER

BGLOEG

TSOCEL

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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S: **Jumbles:**
ENTRY ABIDE LOOSEN BICKER
ANSWER: It was clear the shirt had been folded, but after being ironed, the wrinkles would – DECREASE

Revealing that the government has plans to reintroduce Yeshasvini scheme, CM Basavaraj Bommai said it will be implemented when the financial condition of the state returns to normalcy. Bommai said S M Krishna, during his tenure as CM, introduced the health scheme for the first time in the interest of farmers who are members of cooperative societies

TRACKING COVID-19

SPEED AND RISE OF COVID-19 CASES IN KARNATAKA

442 CASES REPORTED TODAY

TODAY	29,79,773
YESTERDAY	29,79,331

523 CASES REPORTED YESTERDAY

DEATHS

TODAY	YESTERDAY
7	9

The first Covid-19 case in Karnataka was reported on March 8, 2020. Since then until October 7, 2021, a total of 29,79,773 cases have been reported in 1 year and 212 days...

DISCHARGES

TODAY	YESTERDAY
635	621

Active cases

TODAY	11,619
YESTERDAY	11,819

POSITIVITY RATE

TODAY	6.14%
YESTERDAY	6.16%

The day positivity rate – **0.36%** – is calculated as the number of patients testing positive out of 100 tests conducted only in a day.

MORTALITY RATE

TODAY	1.27%
YESTERDAY	1.27%

RECOVERY RATE

TODAY	98.33%
YESTERDAY	98.33%

DISTRICT-WISE COVID CASES

LAST 24 HOURS

166 BENGALURU URBAN

7 BENGALURU RURAL

Bagalkot	0
Ballari	5
Belagavi	2
Bidar	0
Chamarajanagar	1
Chikkaballapur	1
Chikkamagaluru	14
Chitradurga	2
Dakshina Kannada	43
Davanagere	2
Dharwad	2
Gadag	0
Hassan	35
Haveri	2
Kalaburagi	2
Kodagu	12
Kolar	13
Koppal	0
Mandya	15
Mysuru	31
Raichur	1
Ramanagara	2
Shivamogga	8
Tumakuru	36
Udupi	17
Uttara Kannada	23
Vijayapura	0
Yadgir	0

Lack of nutrition, poverty drive child blindness

Lockdown, gadgets add to trend, few paediatric ophthalmologists available

CHETANA BELAGERE @ Bengaluru

KARNATAKA'S rural children, especially from Hyderabad-Karnataka region, already deprived of nutrition due to the Covid-19 situation, are reporting more eye-related problems, including childhood blindness. According to ophthalmologists, 0.8 of every 1,000 children in the state, and 1 of every 1,000 children in the country, suffer from blindness. Doctors are asking the government to pay attention to this, and ensure screening and treatment of children in rural areas.

"There is definitely a need for more studies at the ground level to know the exact data. Our experience shows there are more children from Raichur, Koppal, Kalaburagi and Bidar, which have a high incidence of malnutrition in both children and mothers," said Dr Bindiya Hapani, Consultant Ophthalmologist, Dr Agarwal's Eye Hospital. At a virtual press meet, Dr Bindiya explained that the common causes of childhood blindness in India include untreated refractive errors, corneal opacities due to measles, Vitamin A deficiency, eye infections like Ophthalmia Neonatorum or toxicity of traditional eye remedies, congenital cataracts, congenital glaucoma and Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP).

Agreeing that Covid-19 and the lockdown pushed up poverty in rural areas, Dr Sujatha Rathod, Director of Minto Hospital, told TNIE there is a small increase in childhood blindness cases which could be due to nutritional deficiency. "More children with congenital retinal cases come from Ballari. But we have noticed an increase of about 20 to 30 per cent cases related to computer vision syndrome. Refractive error cases are on the rise due to online classes and exposure to gadgets at an early age," Dr Sujatha said.

Pointing to challenges in prevention of child blindness, Dr Bindiya explained that availability of good primary healthcare is essential and that paediatric ophthalmologists are few compared to the child population. They are needed for complex conditions like congenital cataracts, squint and ROP.

Doctors claim that timely intervention goes a long way in preventing blindness. Providing a Vitamin A rich diet including eggs, and Vitamin A supplements as prophylaxis for both newborns and mother can help.

Parents must identify early signs of a disorder, like uncoordinated eyes or cross-eyes at birth, any discomfort in the eye, redness or constant rubbing of the eye, headaches, white spots on the retina etc, and should not ignore them. The government needs to conduct eye screening camps and train Asha and Anganwadi workers to identify and create awareness on eye care in children, they said.

CAUSES OF CHILDHOOD BLINDNESS

- Consanguineous marriages
- Use of alcohol by mother during pregnancy
- Exposure to fertilisers and pesticides during pregnancy
- Premature babies, with low birthweight and lack of neonatal care

PREVENTION AND CURE

- Genetic test of couples who are related
- Educate rural population on eye-related issues, encourage eye donation
- Two high-dose Vitamin A capsules a year to children aged 6 months to 5 years

Vision Health Policy report in cold storage

A senior ophthalmologist said that seven years ago, the Karnataka government had formed a Vision Health Policy Committee and revived it recently on what needs to be done for eye care, but the report is lying in cold storage."The committee submitted a report which talks of how every child, from birth till pre-school, has to be monitored by Anganwadi workers. It suggested compulsory eye test at school entry level and general check-up every year to include eye check. But the report is lying with the state government," the doctor said.

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Sudhakar promises swift redressal, docs call off strike

Bengaluru: Several hospitals across the state were grappling to handle patients visiting their OPDs on Thursday, with resident doctors and interns boycotting outpatient duty and all elective services from 9am. However, the doctors, who were demanding timely and regular payment of stipend and Covid-19 risk allowance, withdrew the strike after Health Minister Dr K Sudhakar assured them that he would resolve their issues. "The patient footfall was low as many knew about the protests. Nearly 70-80% of manpower had reduced," said Dr Namratha C, President of Karnataka Association of Resident Doctors. She told TNIE that emergency services, ICUs and Covid services were not hampered by the strike. At Bangalore Medical College and Research Institute, PG doctors and interns gathered in front of the new OPD block holding placards. Sudhakar, who met the protesting doctors in Mysuru, agreed there was a delay in the release of Covid-19 allowance, announced many months ago, and assured them the money would reach them. ENS

COVID BYTES

Oxygen plant launched at railway hospital

BENGALURU: In a major step towards self-sufficiency by the Bengaluru Railway Division, an oxygen generator plant, that can generate upto 7.2 lakh litres of medical oxygen per day, was launched on the premises of the Divisional Railway Hospital on Thursday. MP PC Mohan and Rajya Sabha MP K C Ramamurthy launched the project.

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Nehru Memorial Museum and Library(NMML), a autonomous body under the Ministry of Culture, is developing Pradhan Mantri Sangrahalaya in the Teen Murti complex.
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Zonal Office Stressed Assets Recovery Branch (ZOSARB), Hyderabad Zone,# 6-1-84/3,First Floor,Khusru Jung House,Secretariate Road, Saifabad,Hyderabad-500004

E-Auction Sale Notice
(Under Proviso Rule 8(6), Rule 9(1) of security interest (Enforcement) Rules)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) & 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s), Mortgagor(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor i.e. **Bank of Baroda, Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of **Bank of Baroda** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis on **16.11.2021** for recovery of dues mentioned here under due to the secured creditor. The details of Borrower(s)/ Mortgagor(s)/ Guarantor(s)/ Secured Asset/s/ Dues/ Reserve Price/ e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below:-

NAME AND ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S. GUARANTOR/S AND MORTGAGOR/S:
M/s. AKR Constructions Limited, Plot 8-2-684/J3, 1st Floor, Bhavani Nagar Colony, Kanak Durga Temple Lane, Road No.12, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-500034. **Mr. A Krishna Reddy,** H.No.8-2-684/J4, Bhavani Nagar Colony, Kanak Durga Temple Lane, Road No.12, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-500034. **Mrs. Alluri Indira,** H.No.8-2-684/J4, Bhavani Nagar Colony, Kanak Durga Temple Lane, Road No.12, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-500034. **Mr. A Sashi Kumar Reddy,** H.No.8-2-684/J4, Bhavani Nagar Colony, Kanak Durga Temple Lane, Road No.12, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-500034. **Mrs. A Sujana Reddy,** H.No.8-2-684/J4, Bhavani Nagar Colony, Kanak Durga Temple Lane, Road No.12, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-500034. **Mr. P V Srikanth Reddy,** MCH No.8-3-216, Srinivas Nagar Colony, Opp Bank of Baroda, Vengal Rao Nagar, Yousufguda, Hyderabad-500038. **Mrs. Pamuru Swathi,** MCH No.8-3-216, Srinivas Nagar Colony, Opp Bank of Baroda, Vengal Rao Nagar, Yousufguda, Hyderabad-500038. **Mr. A V Ramana Reddy,** Makthapuram Village, Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh-524306.
Total Dues to the Bank: Rs.27,08,05,480/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Crore Eight Lakhs Five Thousand Four Hundred Eightyonly) as on **30.09.2021** plus applicable Interest & other charges from **01.10.2021** to till realization plus Non Fund Based amount of **Rs.24,19,00,000/- (Twenty Four Crores Nineteen Lakhs Only)** as on **30.09.2021.**
Description of the Immovable Properties: 1) All that piece and parcel of a portion of property bearing site No.111, formed out of Sy.No.495/2 of VP Khatha No.301, Assessment No.495/2, New Marasur village panchayath Katha No.425, Property No.495/2, site No.111, duly converted for non-agricultural residential purposes, vide conversion order No.ALN.SR(A)401/95-96, dated: 24.02.1996, by the assistant Commissioner, Bangalore sub division, situated at Marasur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Measuring East to West: 60-0 feet and North to South:79-0 feet, total 4740Sq.feet, and **bounded on: East by:** 30ft road, **West by:** Farm site No.106, **North by:** Remaining portion of same site No.111, retained by the Donor, then Farm site No.112, **South:** Farm Site No.110.

Status of possession : Physical	**Known encumbrances : NIL**
Reserve Price For Property: Rs.34,12,800/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Twelve Thousand Eight Hundred only)	
Earnest Money Deposit : Rs.3,42,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs Forty Two Thousand only)	
Bid Incremental Amount : Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty thousand Only)	
Date & time of auction : 16.11.2021 from 11.00AM to 03.00PM	
Date and time for inspection of properties: 11.11.2021 from 11.00AM to 01.00PM	

2. All that piece and parcel of a portion of property bearing site No.112, formed out of Sy.No.495/2 of VP Khatha No.302, Assessment No.495/2, New Marasur village panchayath Katha No. 426, Property No.495/2, site No.112, duly converted for non-agricultural residential purposes, vide conversion order No.ALN.SR(A)401/95-96, dated: 24.02.1996, by the assistant Commissioner, Bangalore sub division, situated at Marasur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Measuring East to West:60-0 feet and North to South:79-0 feet, total 4740Sq.feet, and **bounded on: East by:** 30 Feet road, **West by:** Farm Site No.105, **North by:** Remaining Part of Sy.No.495/2, **South by:** Remaining portion of same site No.112, retained by the Donor, then Farm site No.111.

Status of possession : Physical	**Known encumbrances : NIL**
Reserve Price For Property: Rs.34,12,800/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Twelve Thousand Eight Hundred only)	
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For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm** and **https://ibapi.in.** Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on **Tel No.040-23227714 Mobile- +91 97402 02350.**

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DEMAND NOTICE

1) M/s Irich Private Limited, A Private Limited Company Represented by its Directors A) Mr. Rudrappa V
B) Mr. Vinu Kumar A.Y
C) Mr. Kalyan Kumar R Karanam (Now resigned)
Addressed at : 31/1 C, Doddakalsandra, Kanakapura Road, Bengaluru, Bengaluru Urban , Karnataka 560062
2) Mr. Vinu Kumar A.Y S/o Mr. M.G. Yadu Kumar
Addressed at : No.1416, 15th Main, Girinagar 2nd Phase, Banashankari III Stage, Bengaluru-560085
3) Mr. Kalyan Kumar R Karanam S/o Mr. Krishna Murthy K.R
Addressed at : No.176, 2nd Floor, 1st Main, 1st Cross, BHCS Layout Uttarahalli, Badamanavarthkaval, Bengaluru-560061

The credit facilities under **PSOD A/c No.9597000600000501 for Rs.350.00 lakhs, PSTL A/c No.9597001800001901 for Rs.70.00 lakhs and PDPN A/c No.9597001400000201 for Rs.26.42 lakhs availed by you No. 1] M/s Irich Private Limited, Represented by its Directors - i) Mr. Rudrappa V, ii)Mr. Vinu Kumar A.Y iii) Mr. Kalyan Kumar R Karanam (Now resigned) as the borrower and you No. 2] Mr. Vinu Kumar A.Y, you No.3 Mr. Kalyan Kumar R Karanam (with respect to PSOD A/c No.9597000600000501) and one Mr. Rudrappa V as the Co-obligants/ guarantors at our Bengaluru - Sir M Vishweshwaraiah Layout Branch** has been classified as Non Performing Asset on **31.03.2021** with effect from **17.03.2021** and that action under SARFAESI Act has been initiated by issuing a detailed Demand Notice under Section 13(2) & (3) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 by the Authorised officer of the Bank on **31.08.2021** to the parties concerned. The said Demand Notice sent by speed post with acknowledgements to you No. **1] M/s Irich Private Limited, you No. 2] Mr. Vinu Kumar A.Y and you No. 3] Mr. Kalyan Kumar R Karanam** have been returned undelivered. Hence, we have published the contents of the Demand Notice by way of this Notice by observing the procedures laid down in the SARFAESI Act 2002. **The total aggregate balance as on 31.08.2021 is Rs.4,78,84,156.35 (Rupees Four Crores Seventy Eight Lakhs Eighty Four Thousand One Hundred Fifty Six and Paisa Thirty Five Only) with future interest at the rate mentioned herein below . You are called upon to pay the same within 60 days from the date of this paper publication.**

Nature & Account No.	Balance Outstanding as on 31.08.2021 (Rs)	Rate of Interest (compounded monthly)	Interest Calculated upto	Interest to be added from
PSOD A/c No.9597000600000501	3,86,66,656.27	10.95%	31.07.2021	01.08.2021
PSTL A/c No.9597001800001901	72,67,541.55	8.91%	31.07.2021	01.08.2021
PDPN A/c No.9597001400000201	19,49,958.53	11.31%	15.08.2021	16.08.2021
Total	**4,78,84,156.35**			

Brief description of the Mortgaged Property (Secured Asset)
All that part and parcel of converted Vacant Site property under Sy.No.1/16 (Old Sy.No.1/8, later Sy.No.1/15), presently assigned BBMP Khata No.1/16, 1362, admeasuring 19,602 Sq.ft (18 Guntas), situated at Gidadakonenahalli Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, belonging to **Mr. Rudrappa V.**
Please note that I, the Authorised Officer of the secured creditor Bank intend to enforce the aforesaid security in the event of failure to discharge your liabilities in full on or before the expiry of 60 days from the date of this publication.
Further, your attention is drawn to the provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, wherein the time for redemption of mortgage is available only up to the date of publication of notice for public auction or inviting tenders.

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ವಾಕ್-ಇನ್-ಸಂದರ್ಶನ

I. ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬಿ.ಎಸ್ಸಿ (ಸಕ್ಕರೆ ವಿಜ್ಞಾನ ಮತ್ತು ತಂತ್ರಜ್ಞಾನ) ಪದವಿ ಕೋರ್ಸಿಗೆ ಕೆಳಗೆ ತಿಳಿಸಿದ ವಿಷಯಗಳಿಗೆ ತಾತ್ಕಾಲಿಕ ಆಧಾರದ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರ ಹುದ್ದೆಗೆ 11/6 ತಿಂಗಳ ಕಾಲಾವಧಿಗೆ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

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Defending his recent statement against the RSS, JDS leader and former CM H D Kumaraswamy dared the Congress to speak against the organisation. "I have been raising questions over the functioning of RSS. Does Congress have the same guts to speak against the RSS?" he questioned

HANAGAL
- **Shivaraj Sajjanar** (BJP): Former Haveri MLA
- **Srinivas V Mane** (Congress): MLC
- **Niyaz Sheikh** (JDS): Party worker

BYPOLLS

SINDAGI
- **Ramesh Bhusanur** (BJP): Former Sindagi MLA
- **Ashok Managuli** (Cong): Son of late MC Managuli, JDS MLA
- **Naziya Angadi** (JDS): Party worker

ELECTIONEERING HOTS UP AS BJP ANNOUNCES CANDIDATES

Sajjanar, aide of BSY, pips Revathi Udasi in Hanagal, Ramesh Bhusanur to fight from Sindagi

Congress supporters take out a rally in support of the party's Hanagal candidate Srinivas V Mane on Thursday. Mane filed his nomination papers for the October 30 bypolls, accompanied by party leaders Siddaramaiah and DK Shivakumar

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE BJP on Thursday announced former MLAs Ramesh Bhusanur and Shivaraj Sajjanar as its candidates to contest the October 30 bypolls from Sindagi and Hanagal Assembly segments, respectively. Both the candidates are said to be close to former chief minister BS Yediyurappa.

Ever since the poll dates were announced, the Big 3 political players in the state— BJP, Congress and JDS— have been making all efforts to win the seats.

Earlier this week, Congress declared Ashok Managuli as its candidate from Sindagi, and Srinivas V Mane from Hanagal. JDS has fielded Naziya Shakeel Ahmed Angadi in Sindagi and Niyaz Shaikh in Hanagal. Naziya filed her nomination on Thursday in the presence of former chief minister HD Kumaraswamy.

Bypolls to Sindagi and Hanagal were necessitated following the demise of MC Managuli (JDS) and CM Udasi (BJP), respectively.

The bypolls have become a matter of prestige for Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai since this will be his first electoral test after assuming office in July. Also, Hanagal is in his home district Haveri, making it a must-win battle for Bommai.

Sajjanar is a former MLA from Haveri, and a loyalist of Lingayat strongman Yediyurappa. When Yediyurappa quit the BJP and started the Karnataka Janata Party in 2013, Sajjanar too joined the newly floated party, contested and lost the 2013 Assembly elections.

Sources in BJP said though Sajjanar's name was doing the rounds for some time, many party leaders, including Bommai, were keen on fielding Revathi Udasi, wife of BJP MP Shivakumar Udasi, and daughter-in-law of late CM Udasi, from Hanagal. Bommai was close to the senior Udasi, whom he considers his mentor.

A few party leaders were also batting for Shivakumar Udasi. "The party was not keen on giving the ticket to a member of the same family. Also, it did not want byelections for Gadag Lok Sabha seat," a senior leader told *TNIE*, justifying why the party did not field Shivakumar.

In Sindagi, the party has fielded former MLA Ramesh Bhusanur. He lost the 2018 polls to MC Managuli. Sources close to Yediyurappa said even before Bhusanur's name was announced, he was seen meeting Yediyurappa often. Bhusanur, who is also a Lingayat, had urged Yediyurappa to campaign for him for three days.

JDS candidate from Sindagi Naziya Angadi declared individual assets worth Rs 49.85 lakh in her poll affidavit. It includes jewellery worth Rs 24 lakh, Rs 4.27 lakh bank deposits and Rs 2 lakh in cash. She also owns one acre of land and a car worth Rs 13 lakh.

Campaigning banned from 7pm to 10am

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IN view of the prevailing Covid-19 situation, there will not be any campaigning from 7 pm to 10 am in Sindagi and Hanagal Assembly segments. The bypolls will be held on October 30 and Friday (October 7) is the last day to file nomination papers. The Election Commission of India had issued similar restrictions on campaigning during the West Bengal Assembly elections earlier this year.

On vaccination, the Election Commission has said that election officials, staff and representatives of political parties, who will be at the polling and counting centres, must have received both doses of the Covid-19 vaccine or if they have taken only the first dose and are not eligible for the second dose as per vaccination protocol, they may be allowed with RT-PCR negative report not older than 72 hours to enter polling and counting centres.

Many states had sought clarification from the ECI regarding vaccination of candidates, election and polling agents and others. No nomination will be denied in the absence of vaccination. State election commission officials on Thursday held a meeting with representatives of political parties to inform them about the EC orders. The representatives of political parties were also informed about Rs 30.80 lakh expenditure limit for the candidates.

Are IT raids a cloak-and-dagger message to Yediyurappa?

BANSY KALAPPA @ Bengaluru

WHILE rumours were afloat that an unhappy former chief minister B S Yediyurappa was planning to leave the BJP with a group of loyalists, Income Tax sleuths raided a key Yediyurappa aide, A Umesh. The two events appear unconnected, but JDS leader and former CM H D Kumaraswamy may have summed it up adroitly when he said the raid was just "internal party rivalry" playing out.

Curiously, the raids come a few days after BJP Vice-President B Y Vijayendra's followers expressed anguish when he was omitted from a list of leaders given charge of the Hanagal and Sindagi bypolls. Thereafter, Vijayendra was hurriedly included by embarrassed party leaders in a revised list, much as an afterthought.

Tenuous though the link may appear, Umesh, whose house and office were raided by Income Tax sleuths on Thursday, was Yediyurappa's trusted aide. Umesh was said to have been originally appointed as a driver-cum-conductor with BMTC, but worked as Yediyurappa's PA on deputation for most of his two-year term as CM.

Umesh, who is from Ayanur, was allegedly the go-to man for irrigation deals, sources said. In spite of his lowly government position, he moved around in a chauffeur-driven government car, a facility available only to high-ranking officers. He is said to own a valuable property near Peenya, and has been close to the Yediyurappa family for over a decade.

Sources who worked in the CMO earlier, wondered if the raids could be an effort to draw Basavaraj Bommai out of the former chief minister's circle of influence, by trying to tarnish his image. It could also be a strategy to discredit Yediyurappa before he launched his much-awaited Karnataka tour, that the party was watching with some consternation.

Meanwhile, BJP MLC Adagur H Vishwanath said that from the time former minister Ramesh Jarkiholi was trapped in a sting and resigned, the ministry was run by Vijayendra through his proxy, Umesh. He also alleged that for the Rs 20,000-crore Upper Bhadra Project, about 10 per cent was paid as bribe. It may be recalled that Vishwanath has been extremely critical of Yediyurappa, because he was not included in the cabinet after quitting the JDS and joining BJP.

Contractors among those raided

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IN 2019, the company was awarded the tender to implement part of the Yettinahole project on a 244-km stretch between Elerampura and Thippagondanahalli reservoir in Ramanagara at an estimated cost of Rs 245 crore. The IT officials have collected some documents from the company officials and the local Kolala police had camped at the site.

A team of officials also searched the residence of contractor M Shrinivas at Kotayya Camp in Gangavati of Koppal district. They are believed to have seized 'valuable' records from the residence of Shrinivas, who has undertaken works for the Water Resources Department in Gangavati and other parts of the state. Shrinivas resides at Bengaluru and the Gangavati residence is looked after by his father-in-law Satyanarayana, according to locals. Reacting to the development, former CM B S Yediyurappa told media persons at his hometown Shikaripura that he came to know through TV channels about the raid on the residence of Umesh, the individual who reportedly worked with him, and added that he would react only after the latter responds to it. "Umesh worked with me and also with Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai. He may speak about the IT raid tomorrow. I will react later," he said.

The house of Umesh that was raided by IT sleuths in Bengaluru on Thursday

"There is nothing special about the raids and it is not politically motivated. It will not have any impact on the outcome of the upcoming bypolls. The IT officials act as per law," he remarked.

Former MLC seeks CM's help for homeless tenants

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Tumakuru

WITH about 30 families left shelterless after banks attached the properties in which they were tenants, former MLC Ramesh Babu of the Congress sought the intervention of Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai.

Canara Bank and a co-operative bank seized the houses in Banashankari area, under the provisions of SARFAESI Act, 2002, as the buildings against which the owner borrowed loans, have become non-performing assets. They had also got the decree order from court.

Ramesh Babu alleged that since the landlord, T L Manjunath, is the defaulter, evicting the tenants is illegal. The Chief Minister must take action to ensure shelter to the tenants, mostly hailing from the lower strata of society, he said.

On Tuesday evening, the banks seized the houses with the help of revenue officials. The landlord owed the banks Rs 1.5 crore, and reportedly ignored notices served thrice, following which his tenants had to bear the brunt.

As it is an issue between banks and the landlord, none of the local elected representatives had intervened. "The tenants and landlord have to approach a higher court, we cannot intervene when banks have seized the houses under SARFAESI Act, 2002," clarified Tumakuru Deputy Commissioner Y S Patil.

Nirmala, Pralhad Joshi in BJP national executive panel

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@ Bengaluru

TWO BJP leaders from Karnataka—Union Ministers **Nirmala Sitharaman** and **Pralhad Joshi**— figure in the 80-member party national executive committee announced by party national president JP Nadda in New Delhi on Thursday. Prime Minister Narendra Modi, senior leaders LK Advani and Murli Manohar Joshi, former party presidents Rajnath Singh, Amit Shah and Nitin Gadkari, Leader of the House in the Rajya Sabha Piyush Goyal and national office-bearers, including organising secretary BL Santosh from Karnataka, are part of the executive committee.

The national executive committee will also have 50 special invitees, including national general secretary CT Ravi, and 179 permanent invitees (ex-officio), including Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, former CMs BS Yediyurappa, DV Sadananda Gowda and Jagadish Shettar, BJP Yuva Morcha national president Tejasvi Surya, Kalaburagi Lok Sabha member Dr Umesh Jadhav, ministers KS Eshwarappa, Govind Karjol, Dr CN Ashwath Narayan, R Ashoka, Kota Srinivas Poojary and Laxman Savadi, read a release from BJP national general secretary Arun Singh.

"BL Santosh's say was there in the list... We have no issues with the list as BJP is not like other parties which favour nepotism. Look at the candidates selected for the bypolls. We are going to put an end to family politics," a senior party leader told TNIE.

Uttar Pradesh, where polls are due in 2022, has the highest number of members (13).

Bommai to meet Union Ministers in Delhi today

BENGALURU : CM Basavaraj Bommai will be visiting New Delhi on Friday to meet Union Ministers to discuss projects related to Karnataka. According to the tentative tour programme released by the CMO, Bommai will leave for Delhi at 8 am from Bengaluru's Kempegowda International Airport. He is likely to meet the Union Ministers in the afternoon. BJP sources said that the CM is planning to meet the ministers to seek funds and approvals for various projects. He will also take part in a programme organised by a private media organisation.ENS

CM to launch Grama Vastavya from Honnali

DAVANAGERE: Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai is likely to announce a grant of ₹10 crore for the construction of a mini Vidhana Soudha in the new taluk of Nyamathi, on October 16. Giving information about the CM's programme to the twin taluks of Honnali and Nyamathi, CM's political secretary MP Renukacharya on Thursday said, "On my request, the CM has decided to launch Revenue Minister R Ashoka's Grama Vastavya programme at Kunduru village of Honnali taluk on October 16. He will also announce various developmental works at Suruhonne in Nyamathi taluk. With this, various developmental works will gain pace and also help in the development of the twin taluks," he added. Renukacharya said there are many unresolved problems in villages. ENS

HC: IMPLEAD ASI IN BALABROOIE ISSUE

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HOWEVER, the court said that the materials placed before the court prima facie show that there is a move to convert the guest house into a club and noted that the building in question is of great historic importance.

"Till the next date of hearing, the authorities should maintain status quo. The building should not be allotted to any organisation and no felling of trees/trimming of trees/cutting of shrubs should take place without leave of the court", the bench said while passing the order to implead the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) as a respondent since it involves a heritage building.

The court also directed the BBMP to carry out tree census including in the Balabrooie premises, 7 Ministers' Quarters, National Gallery of Modern Art and Chief Secretary's House, and Horticulture Department to protect the green cover in the area and asked the civic body to submit a detailed report within four weeks.

Balabrooie Guest House

In order to draw the attention of the court, the petitioners, who had filed PIL in 2018 against tree felling in the city, have filed interlocutory application now attaching media reports highlighting the imminent threat to the heritage building and trees, if the guest house is converted into a club.

Use tech to take healthcare to remote corners, says Kovind

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Mysuru

PRESIDENT Ram Nath Kovind on Thursday called upon medical students and healthcare providers to "work with the spirit of service and compassion, demonstrated by the noble kings of Mysuru".

Speaking after inaugurating a 450-bed hospital, constructed at Chamarajanagar Institute of Medical Sciences (CIMS), he said the state-of-the-art facilities and infrastructure for critical care and super speciality sectors will cater to people from three states — Karnataka, Tamil Nadu and Kerala.

Observing that the area around CIMS is densely forested, and many people living there are from Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, Kovind urged the CIMS administration and Karnataka government to make affordable healthcare available to them.

He said the Union government has increased the number of All Indian Institute of Medical Sciences from six to 22, and is also opening new medical colleges in every district to improve health infrastructure in the entire country, and become centres of excellence. "Technology would be useless if we don't have a robust delivery mechanism. We need to take health services to the remotest corners of our country. We can hope to build an Atmanirbhar Bharat only when technology, human resources and access to both come together," he added.

Lauding CIMS for ranking third in successful implementation of the Ayushman Bharat-Arogya Karnataka scheme in 2020-21, he said that in promoting access to healthcare, students and administrators of CIMS serve the nation with dedication, and will bring glory to the profession and alma mater.

Speaking of the effects of Covid-19 across the world, he said India is no exception, as it faced a devastating wave of infections this year. "It was a serious crisis, but it also united all Indians in the fight against the invisible enemy," the President said. "Some sacrificed their lives in the line of duty. Our nation would forever be indebted to our corona warriors." He said the same dedication is at work behind the largest vaccination drive in history.

He also paid rich tributes to the Mysuru Wadiyars, who promoted arts and culture and enriched Kannada language and literature.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai presents a plaque to President Ram Nath Kovind in Chamarajanagar on Thursday. Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot looks on

A 46-year-old BMTC driver consumed poison in front of other staff at Indiranagar Bus Depot and collapsed. Keshavan was dismissed from service after he took part in a strike in August this year. Depot manager Saraswathi rushed him to hospital. His condition is said to be stable.

EXPRESS READ

Cops on trail of double-murder suspect

BENGALURU: The Begur police investigating the double murder of a 37-year-old woman and her four-year-old daughter have gathered important clues about the assailant. Police sources said the investigating teams have already identified the killer, who may be arrested anytime soon. "Based on information gathered through physical and technical means, the assailant has been identified. We will nab the suspect soon," a senior police officer mentioned. "It is clear that the murders were committed by a known person. It appears that there are other motives than financial matters behind the murder," the enior officer added.

TWO ARRESTED FOR MORAL POLICING IN MANGALURU

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Mangaluru

TWO Bajrang Dal activists have been arrested for alleged moral policing at Kadri in Mangaluru. The duo has been identified as Jayaprakash and Pruthvi, working with KMF as daily wagers and believed to be active in the Sangh Parivar. As per the complaint filed by Muhammad P V, two unidentified men thrashed and abused him and forcibly handed him over to the police along with a female friend. The incident occurred around 10 pm on Wednesday.

According to the complainant, he and his friend Pranav had dinner together at Kankanady and were heading to his room at Lalbagh. On the way, Muhammad met a female friend near Bendoorwell. When they reached Kadri, they met two classmates, Sanjan and Arya, and while they were talking to each other, two men on a motorcycle allegedly waylaid them. When they came to know that he is a Muslim, they questioned him for speaking to Hindu girls, manhandled and abused him and also issued death threats, Muhammed claimed.

The duo also forcibly took all of them to Mangaluru East Police station and urged the police to take action claiming that 'they were behaving indecently'. The friends also filed a counter-complaint stating that the duo abused and manhandled them. The two activists have been booked under several IPC Sections including 153a (Promoting enmity between different groups on grounds of religion), 341 (punishment for wrongful restraint), 504 (intentional insult with intent to provoke breach of peace), 506 (criminal intimidation). City Police Commissioner N Shashi Kumar confirmed to *TNIE* that the duo have been arrested.

Plea questions Kannada in UG courses

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

FOUR city-based organisations have moved the Karnataka High Court against the two orders issued by the State Government, mandating the learning of Kannada at the graduation level.

Claiming that students from other states who lack the knowledge of Kannada are bound to fail as they cannot study the language at the graduation level, the petitioners claimed that the government orders would affect more than 1.30 lakh students and 4,000 language teachers in the state.

The petitioners -- Samskrita Bharati (Karnataka) Trust, Mahavidyalaya Samskrita Pradhyapaka Sangha, Hayagriva Trust and Vyoma Linguistic Labs Foundation -- have challenged the government orders dated August 7 and September 15, 2021, issued by the Department of Higher Education, seeking to implement the National Education Policy-2020 in Karnataka.

The August 7 order lays down guidelines for the implementation of the NEP for degree courses, while stating that two languages have to be chosen with other subjects, with one of them compulsorily being Kannada. Subsequently, another order issued on September 15, 2021, is to clarify how the previous order would be implemented.

They have contended that Kannada has been made a mandatory language, therefore, everyone has to opt for it irrespective of whether they have previously studied it in school or pre-university, or not.

After hearing the arguments of the senior counsel representing the petitioners, a division bench of Acting Chief Justice Satish Chandra Sharma and Justice Sachin Shankar Magadum adjourned the matter to Friday, as the government advocate sought time.

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ಸರ್ ಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ ಕಂಬಳಿ ರಸ್ತೆ ದೂರವಾಣಿ : 2213898, 2213888 website : www.hdmc.gov.in
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು (ದಕ್ಷಿಣ)

ಇ-ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

ನಂ.ಎಚ್‌ಡಿಎಂಸಿ/63/04/2021-22 ದಿ:07-10-2021

ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ-ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕ ಆದೇಶ 1999-2000ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಆ್ಯಕ್ಟ್ 2000 ನಿಯಮದಂತೆ ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ ಬಿಡ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ನಿಯಮದನ್ವಯ PWD/ CPWD/ HDMC/ ಇತರೇ ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತರಾದ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ ಮೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಸನ್ 2020-21ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನದಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 81897/ ರೂ. **85.84** ಲಕ್ಷ/ 6ತಿಂಗಳು/ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 116583/ ರೂ. **87.34** ಲಕ್ಷ/ 6ತಿಂಗಳು/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. ಸದರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ : **12-10-2021** ರಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ಸದರಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಸದರಿ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಇ-ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತ್ರ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

(1) ಟೆಂಡರ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ : **29/10/2021** ಸಂಜೆ 4.00 ಘಂಟೆ ವರೆಗೆ
(2) ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ : **30/10/2021** ಸಂಜೆ 4.30 ಘಂಟೆ ನಂತರ
(3) ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ : **06/11/2021** ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಘಂಟೆ ನಂತರ

ಸಹಿ/- ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು(ದಕ್ಷಿಣ)
ವಾಸಾಸಂ/ಇ/ಧಾ/ಎಂಸಿಎ/584/2021-22 ಹು.ಧಾ.ಮ.ಪಾಲಿಕೆ, ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ.

ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಆಫ್ ಬರೋಡ Bank of Baroda

Hanumanthnagar Branch, No 25, Aloka, 3rd Main, Hanumanthnagar, Bengaluru – 560019. Ph: 080 26679630 (G) 080 26611717 (D), Website: www.bankofbaroda.in

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" for recovery of below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below –

Name & address of Borrower/s, Guarantor/s	Short description of the immovable property with known Encumbrances, if any	Branch Name Account Number Total Dues	Date & Time of E-auction	Reserve Price, EMD , Bid Increase amount and Last date of receipt of EMD	(A) Status of Possession (B) Property Inspection date (With Prior Permission from Authorised Officer)
1) Mr. Baddity Pradeep S/o. B. Israil 2) Mrs. Kondepogu Pravallika W/o. Baddity Pradeep Both: No.13 2nd Floor 1st Main 1st Cross Surabhi Nagar Jambusavari Dinne J.P. Nagar 8th Phase Bengaluru 560076. 3) Mr. G. Ramakrishna S/o. G.S. Narasimha Rao (guarantor) No. 586 2nd B Main 2nd Stage 11th Block Near BGN Public School Nagarabhavi, Bangalore – 560072.	Flat No. 208 In Second Floor Building Known As Bhanu Elegance Situated At Gottigere Village Uttarahalli Hobli Bangalore South Taluk Bangalore 560083. Known Encumbrances -NIL	**BRANCH: HANUMANTHNAGAR A/C:8935060000500 RS.77,52,105.54 AS ON 31.03.2021 With Further Interest From 01.04.2021 Along With Costs And Other Charges etc.**	**22.10.2021 2.00 PM TO 6.00 PM**	Reserve Price: **Rs.48,31,200/-** EMD Amount : **Rs.4,83,120/-** Bid Increase Amount: **Rs.25,000/-** On Or Before E Auction	**(A) PHYSICAL POSSESSION (B) AFTER 11.10.2021 CONTACT: 080-26679630 9920734644**

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm** and **https://ibapi.in**. Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on Tel No.080-26679630 and Mobile No.9920734644.

Date: 07.10.2021 **Sd/-**
Place: Bengaluru **Authorized Officer, Bank of Baroda**

Office of the Commissioner,
INDUSTRIAL TRAINING & EMPLOYMENT
Office of the Commissioner, Kaushalwaya Bhavana, Dairy Circle, Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru - 560 029.
Ph: 080-25189100 E-mail: ddpurchase2016@gmail.com Web: www.emptrg.kar.nic.in

No.DIT&E/TRG/PUR-8/CR-14/2020-21 Date: 07-10-2021

Short Term Re-Tender Notification

The sealed and superscribed 15 days Short Term Re-tenders under two electronic Tender Document system as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 1999 through e-procurement portal are invited from the eligible and registered suppliers for PROVIDING SECURITY FOR 150 GOVT. OWN BUILDING ITI'S (2 EACH), FOR 120 GOVT. RENTED BUILDING ITI'S (1 EACH), STARC MALAVALLI (1 NO) & ITOT DAVANAGERE (1 NO) TOTAL OF 422 SECURITY MAN POWER IN THE STATE THROUGH OUTSOURSING for a period of one year.

PROVIDING SECURITY FOR 270 GOVT.ITI'S, STARC MALAVALLI & ITOT DAVANAGERE IN THE STATE THROUGH OUTSOURSING	
Tender Document is available for down load from	Date: 08 -10-2021
Last date of receipt of Tender through e-portal	Date: 22-10-2021 till 5. 30 P.M
Date of opening of Technical Bid through e-portal	Date: 25-10-2021 at 11.00 AM

To obtain this document and tender processing fee details is available in e-procurement and for further details contact e-procurement web site **https//www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in, Help Desk – Phone No. 080 25501216 / 25501227,** or may also contact this office during working hours.

Tender Inviting Authority,
DIPR/DDU/SHIRDI SAI/1806/2021-22 **Industrial Training & Employment**

STAY PROTECTED FROM COVID-19, NO CARELESSNESS UNTIL THERE IS A CURE.

Wear Mask | 6 Feet Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

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BANGALORE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED
(Wholly Owned Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
CIN-U04010KA2002SGC030438

e-AUCTION NOTIFICATION (Through e-Procurement Platform)

BESCOM invites auctions through e-auction platform from eligible bidders for disposal of Scrap materials available at various Divisional Stores of BESCOM.

Sl. No.	Auction No's	Name of the Material	Date of Inspection of the stores by the bidders	Last date for submission of bid documents	Date of e-Auction
1.	**BESCOM/2021-22/ Auction No. 509**	Scrap Copper Items	**11.10.2021 to 27.10.2021 9.00 AM to 4.00 PM**	**27.10.2021 16.00 Hrs.**	08.11.2021 from 8.00 AM to 11.00 AM
2.	**BESCOM/2021-22/ Auction No. 510**	Scrap Aluminum Items			08.11.2021 from 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM
3.	**BESCOM/2021-22/ Auction No. 511**	Scrap released ACSR Conductor			08.11.2021 from 2.00 PM to 5.00 PM
4.	**BESCOM/2021-22/ Auction No. 512**	Scrap Iron Items			09.11.2021 from 8.00 AM to 11.00 AM
5.	**BESCOM/2021-22/ Auction No. 513**	Scrap T&P Materials & Vehicles and Vehicle parts			09.11.2021 from 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM

Bidding Documents can be downloaded through the e-procurement portal from the website **http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in**. Aspiring bidders need to register in the e-procurement portal. Further bidders can take the assistance of the e-procurement helpdesk at +91-80-46010000/ 22631200.

For Electricity related complaints call: 1912
Download BESCOM Mithra Mobile APP

Sd/- **General Manager (Ele.),** Procurement, BESCOM, Bengaluru.

FORM No. STK-6
PUBLIC NOTICE

{Pursuant to sub-Section(2) and sub-Section (4) of Section 248 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 7 of the Companies (Removal of Names of Companies from the Register of Companies) Rules, 2016}

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS
Office of the Registrar of Companies, Kerala,
Company Law Bhawan, BMC Road,
Thrikkakara P.O., Cochin – 682 021

Public Notice No :2257 Date 05.10.2021

Reference:

In the matter of striking off or removal of names of Companies under Section 248 (2) of the Companies Act, 2013 in respect of :-

Sl. No.	CIN	NAME OF COMPANY
1	U23209KL2016PTC040206	ACTIVE PETROTECH (INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED
2	U65992KL2013PTC034553	ATHIRAMPUZHA CHITS PRIVATE LIMITED
3	U74910KL2014PTC035800	BY YOUR SIDE INTERNATIONAL PRIVATE LIMITED
4	U74999KL2018PTC054147	CELASO INTERNATIONAL PRIVATE LIMITED
5	U72900KL2017PTC049689	CHRONICA DIGITAL CONCEPTS PRIVATE LIMITED
6	U85300KL2017PTC047889	CINCHONA COMMUNITY HOSPITALS PRIVATE LIMITED
7	U72900KL2016PTC046069	DELLFINCH TECHNOLOGY PRIVATE LIMITED
8	U72900KL2018PTC052487	DELSER MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
9	U63030KL2017PTC049857	DHARMA CONNECT VOYAGES PRIVATE LIMITED
10	U45200KL2012PTC030903	DIADEM PROPERTIES PRIVATE LIMITED
11	U74999KL2017OPC049747	DIGISTRA TECHSOLUTIONS (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED
12	U74999KL2019PTC056323	ENTROVIO PRIVATE LIMITED
13	U72900KL2018OPC054216	EZLOOKZ DIGITAL MARKETING (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED
14	U52599KL2019PTC058154	FILLPOCKET BIZZ HUB PRIVATE LIMITED
15	U72900KL2019PTC058432	FLOWSIM SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
16	U74999KL2018PTC053508	GAMGA ASSOCIATES PRIVATE LIMITED
17	U85110KL2005PTC018184	HEALTH CARE SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
18	U52500KL2019PTC060729	ILOILO PRIVATE LIMITED
19	U63040KL2013PTC033152	INDIEN PILGER REISEN PRIVATE LIMITED
20	U52590KL2015PTC039537	KER TRADING PRIVATE LIMITED
21	U70200KL2019PTC058585	LALSHEE ESTATES PRIVATE LIMITED
22	U74140KL2008PTC023382	LUCY BALDWIN DESIGN & CONSULTATION PRIVATE LIMITED
23	U14299KL2018PTC052224	MEENACHIL GRANITES PRIVATE LIMITED
24	U24134KL2008PTC022198	MERMAID DIGITAL POLYMERS PRIVATE LIMITED
25	U72200KL2003PTC016260	N CELADUS INFOTEK PRIVATE LIMITED
26	U63000KL2020PTC061776	NIRAN EXPERIENCES INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED
27	U14299KL2018PTC052389	PALA AGGREGATES PRIVATE LIMITED
28	U74999KL2018PTC052144	PANKASOORAJ FOUNDATIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
29	U63033KL2016OPC045622	PATCHIS TOURS AND TRAVELS (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED
30	U72200KL2015PTC039190	PIVOTAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS PRIVATE LIMITED
31	U72900KL2016PTC046042	PIXNNOVA INFOTECH PRIVATE LIMITED
32	U55209KL2018PTC054806	QUADRILLE HOSPITALITY AND SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED
33	U85110KL2005PTC018847	SCIENTIFIC HEALTH CARE PRIVATE LIMITED
34	U74999KL2013PTC034719	SECURA AUTOMATION PRIVATE LIMITED
35	U45200KL2012PTC031586	SERBCON PROPERTY DEVELOPERS PRIVATE LIMITED
36	U24304KL2018PTC054213	SHEAN INTEGRATES 369 SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
37	U63040KL2013PTC035355	SKY DESTINATION MANAGEMENT COMPANY PRIVATE LIMITED
38	U74140KL2013PTC033533	SNAP DATA SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED
39	U15490KL2020PTC062807	SNEHARUCHI PRIVATE LIMITED
40	U72900KL2020OPC062988	SOFTBEL TECH (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED
41	U72200KL2003PTC016305	STAVYAH EMANAGE RESOURCES PRIVATE LIMITED
42	U72900KL2018PTC051894	TAVUS INNOVATION PRIVATE LIMITED
43	U74999KL2019PTC057392	THOUGHT STORMERS CONSULTANCY PRIVATE LIMITED
44	U80904KL2017PTC049971	VIVI LAKSHYA CAMPUS PRIVATE LIMITED
45	U52609KL2016PTC046892	WORLDSQUARE FOODS & BEVERAGES PRIVATE LIMITED
46	U74999KL2019PTC059309	YUSUF-MALABAR SHELTERS AND HOSPITALITY PRIVATE LIMITED
47	U14299KL2018PTC053455	VENJARAMOODU GRANITES PRIVATE LIMITED
48	U51505KL2012PTC030435	LIBRA SPECIALITIES PRIVATE LIMITED
49	U55109KL2012PTC030343	SPRINGSTAY HOTELS AND APARTMENTS PRIVATE LIMITED
50	U63030KL2020PTC061247	TRAVELBYTES TECH SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
51	U70100KL2014PTC036462	NAVAGATH BUILDERS AND REALTORS PRIVATE LIMITED
52	U72200KL2020OPC065478	ZUCCINY SOLUTIONS (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED
53	U72900KL2019PTC058734	TERRAFARM TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED
54	U72900KL2019PTC060058	KERNICLE GLOBAL TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED
55	U72900KL2020PTC062815	FXIO TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED
56	U74990KL2018PTC055970	SKIDOO LOGISTICS PRIVATE LIMITED
57	U74999KL2017PTC049962	TAVUS TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED
58	U74999KL2019PTC056222	NEYYAR GRAZE HOLIDAYS PRIVATE LIMITED
59	U80901KL2018PTC053291	TEAMEDGE INDUSTRIES PRIVATE LIMITED
60	U74999KL2017OPC047800	ABADDON GLOBAL (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED
61	U67100KL2016PTC047552	AJONIX INVESTMENTS PRIVATE LIMITED
62	U52397KL2018PTC052647	ALAKODE AGRO PRODUCTS TRADING AND MARKETING PRIVATE LIMITED
63	U51909KL2018PTC053359	BEONTRACK IMPORTERS AND EXPORTERS PRIVATE LIMITED
64	U27320KL2017PTC050872	BLUE MOON JEWELS PRIVATE LIMITED
65	U51220KL2013PTC033529	BLUEFIELD EXPORTS PRIVATE LIMITED
66	U51496KL2001PTC015039	COCHIN COLCHEM PRIVATE LIMITED
67	U01100KL2020PTC063469	COCOBUNCH FOODS PRIVATE LIMITED
68	U72900KL2017PTC047786	DEWATEC DIVINE IDEAS PRIVATE LIMITED
69	U85100KL2019PTC059597	DOC DAY ONLINE SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
70	U74999KL2020PTC061274	EVANTEL BUSINESS SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
71	U63030KL2017PTC050562	FRANSON TECH INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED
72	U15100KL2016PTC040191	HARVESTBAY AGROFARMS PRIVATE LIMITED
73	U74999KL2018PTC053454	IMPALA NETWORK ENGINEERING PRIVATE LIMITED
74	U93000KL2017PTC050566	JOII RECORD LABEL PRIVATE LIMITED
75	U63000KL2015OPC039715	LETSYA TOURS & TRAVELS (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED
76	U92412KL2018PTC053556	NSL SPORTS VENTURES PRIVATE LIMITED
77	U51909KL2017PTC050732	OXYVINYLS PRIVATE LIMITED
78	U25199KL2020PTC061233	PADAK RUBBERS PRIVATE LIMITED
79	U74999KL2016PTC046825	PARAMBATH PROPERTIES PRIVATE LIMITED
80	U37200KL2017PTC049209	PMA TRADING PRIVATE LIMITED
81	U65990KL2019PTC058266	PUTHUPPARAMBIL CHIT FUND PRIVATE LIMITED
82	U72200KL2011PTC027884	QAGATE TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED
83	U74140KL2013PTC034114	RGB PROJECT MANAGEMENT SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED
84	U65992KL2016PTC040102	SANDRAM CHITS PRIVATE LIMITED
85	U74999KL2019PTC058962	SCRIBBLES OFFICE SUPPLIERS PRIVATE LIMITED
86	U52335KL2013PTC034120	SEACERV POWER SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED
87	U72900KL2019PTC059436	SECURE CITY SOFTWARE SOLUTIONS (INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED
88	U74999KL2019PTC058056	SHAABAASH SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED
89	U72900KL2017PTC050323	SINCAP INFO PRIVATE LIMITED
90	U72200KL1998PTC012523	STABILIX TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED
91	U74999KL2017PTC050230	STRATFOR ANALYTICS PRIVATE LIMITED
92	U74999KL2018OPC052055	SUGHELP (OPC) PRIVATE LIMITED
93	U74999KL2019PTC057691	TAMERA RESORTS AND WELLNESS PRIVATE LIMITED
94	U72900KL2020PTC061415	TIRONTEC SOFTWARES PRIVATE LIMITED

Notice is hereby given that the Registrar of Companies had received applications from the above mentioned companies under Section 248(2) of the Companies Act, 2013 for removal of its/their name(s) from the register of companies either on the ground that they have failed to commence business within one year of their incorporation or on the ground that the company(ies) is/are not carrying on any business or operation for period of two immediately preceding financial years and has/have not made any application(s) within such period for obtaining the status of a dormant company under section 455 of the Companies Act, 2013 or the company (ies) have obtained the status of dormant company, but it/they do not wish to continue its/their registration as companies and have, therefore, requested for removal/ strike off its/their names from the register of companies.

(2) Accordingly, the Registrar of Companies proposes to remove or strike off the names of the above mentioned companies from the Register of Companies

(3) Any person objecting to the proposed removal or striking off name of the companies from the register of companies may send his or her objection to the office address mentioned here above within thirty days from the date of publication of this notice.

Sd/-,
Registrar of Companies, Kerala

Government of Karnataka
Public Works, Ports and Inland Water Transport Department, Office of the Executive Engineer, Davanagere Division, Davanagere

Notice No.: IFT-07/AE-1/2021-22/1791 Date: 07.10.2021

e-Procurement Tender Notice

Ref: Tender Notice No. of this office: EE/DDD/ IFT-07/AE-1/2021-22 Date: 07.10.2021

On behalf of the Governor of Karnataka, the undersigned invites Tenders in two cover system through e-procurement portal of GoK as per KTPP Act 2000 and Standard Tender Document Rules for works under various Head of Account related to Honnali Taluk in the limits of Public Works Department, Davanagere Division from eligible Tenderers registered in Karnataka Public Works Department.

Approx. Amount of One work: Rs. 99.00 lakhs. Dates for the tender process are fixed as below. E.M.D. Amount for work and Tender Processing Fee are mentioned in the e-portal.

Last Date for receipt of Tenders 22.10.2021 up to 4.00 PM

Date of opening the Tender 25.10.2021 up to 4.30 PM

Further details can be obtained from the above office during office hours (Phone: 08192-234951, 231530) or website: http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- Executive Engineer
PWD, Davanagere

ಪಾಸಾರು/ಡಿವಿಪಿ/434/ಎಂಸಿಎ/2021-22

NMDC Limited

(A Government of India Enterprise)
'Khanij Bhavan', 10-3-311/A, Castle Hills, Masab Tank, Hyderabad -500028
CIN-L13100TG1958GOI001674

E-Tender Notice (Open Tender Enquiry for Domestic Bidding)
CONTRACTS DEPARTMENT/ENGINEERING & PROJECTS DIVISION

Tender Enquiry No: HO (Contracts)/ 425kWp Solar/Bacheli/2020/229 **Dated 08/10/2021.**

[MSTC Ref. No.: NMDC/HO/58/21-22/ET/272]

NMDC invites bids in e-tender mode on MSTC website (NMDC's e-tender service provider): http://www.mstcecommerce.com for the work of ***"Design/Engineering, Procurement & Supply, Construction, Installation and Commissioning of approximately 425 kWp capacity Photovoltaic Grid Connected Roof Top Solar (RTS) Power Plants on various buildings in the Township of Bacheli Complex of NMDC on turnkey basis including Comprehensive Operation & Maintenance (O&M) for a period of ten (10) years."***

For viewing / downloading the schedule of e-bidding and the detailed NIT alongwith pre-qualification requirements and tender document, prospective bidders may visit MSTC web site link: **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/eprochome/nmdc/** and register on-line as 'New Vendor'. For further help, the 'Vendor Guide' given therein may be referred. Link to MSTC e-tender platform is also available through NMDC website **www.nmdc.co.in.** The tender documents can also be accessed from NMDC website: **www.nmdc.co.in** and CPP Portal **http://eprocure.gov.in**

Any corrigendum to the tender will be uploaded only in above mentioned websites. Prospective bidders should visit these websites from time to time to take note of corrigendum, if any.

For further clarification, GM(Contracts), NMDC Ltd., Hyderabad can be contacted on fax:**040 23534746, Tel: 040- 2353 2800,** email: **contracts@nmdc.co.in**

General Manager (Contracts)

Har Ek Kaam Desh Ke Naam / ISPATI IRADA

Hg 22-10-2021

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE 72ND Addl CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BANGALORE (CCH-73) Mayohall Unit
P & SC No. 25055/2021

BETWEEN:

1. SHILPA VINOD KUMAR KUKREJA
W/o Late Vinod Kumar Vasudev, Age-44 Years

2. Chirag V. Kukreja Age - 17 years, Son of Late Vinod Kumar Vasudev, since Minor Rep by Mother & Natural Guardian Mrs.SHILPA VINOD KUMAR KUKREJA, Both Resident of No.10/1, 4th Floor, Kukreja House, Kumara Krupa Road, High Grounds, Opp. to Kumara Krupa, Guest House, Bangalore-560001, **PETITIONERS**

AND

NIL **RESPONDENT**

Whereas the above named petitioner Mrs Shilpa Vinod Kumar Kukreja & another has filed petition for the grant of Succession Certificate regarding the assets left by the deceased Vinod Kumar Vasudev, who died on 04/10/2016 in this Court.

Notice is issued in the name of General Public that in case anybody has any objection for the grant of succession certificate, he/she can file objections to the same on or before **22-10-2021** failing which the petition shall be decided in accordance with law

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this **07/10/2021**

Raj Prabhu and Associates
Advocates, No. 10, 13th Cross,
Vasanthnagar, Banglore -52, Opp to
Kodava Samaja, Ph 9448559090

Sd/- Deputy Registrar
City Civil Court,
Mayo Hall Unit,
Bangalore

Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation Ltd.

(A Government of India Enterprise- Mini Ratna)
CIN No.: L74899DL1999GOI101707

(I) Notice Inviting EOI:
IRCTC – North Zone invites the following Expression of Interest (EOI):-

Particulars: Empanelment of Service Providers for provision of catering services at (NRC) units under IRCTC .
Availability of EOI Document: w.e.f 02.10.2021
Last Date of Submission and opening: Open throughout the year to be opened on 15th of every month at 12:15 Hrs.

(II) Notice Inviting Open E-Tender- CO/NIT/FP-FFU/2021/03

IRCTC Corporate office invites open E-tender cum auction for Setting up, Operation and Management of **Food Plazas** and **Fast Food Units**. Last Date for submission of Tender is **27.10.2021 upto 15:00 Hrs**.

Tender document downloading & participation can be done on website **"www.tenderwizard.com/IRCTC"**.

In case of any Corrigendums/addendum issued on the above advertisement, it will be published only on IRCTC's website www.irctc.com and "www.tenderwizard.com/IRCTC"

Office Address:- GGM/P&T, IRCTC Ltd. 11th floor, Statesman House, B-148, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi-110001, Tel.011-23311263-64, Fax: 011-23311259.

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank

Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below- mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	9thots Media Solution Represented By Propreitor Tarun Shivappa/ Mrs Manasa N/ Flat No. 301 The Palm Site Mortgagor No. 07 Synergy Suits Whistling Green Chalaghatta Village Varthur Villag Bengaluru-560071/ 185105500236 ,185160000001, 185160000003, 185155000003	All that piece and parcel of site no.7, Khata no.185/3, in the layout known as "Whistling Greens", Challaghatta Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, within the revenue jurisdiction of CMC, Mahadevapura, presently BBMP Limits, Bangalore, admeasuring East to West; on the Northern side : 69.1 ft., on the Southern side: 67 ft., North to South 60 ft., in all measuring 4,082 Sq.ft including all rights and appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows: On the East: 30ft., road On the West: Plot no. 13; On the North: Plot no. 8; On the South: Plot no.6. SCHEDULE-'B' All that piece and parcel of apartment no. 301, on the third floor of the multi- storied apartment building known as 'THE PALM' constructed and erected on the schedule 'A' property I.e., site no.7, Katha no.185/3, in the layout known as "Whisting Greens",Challaghatta Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, within the revenue jurisdiction of CMC, Mahadevapura, presently BBMP Limits, Bangalore with details and other attributes given hereunder: Undivided right, title and interest in land 27.88 % equivalent to 529.5 Sq.ft., comprised in Schedule 'A' Property Super built-up area 1899 Sq.ft, including proportionate share of common area with the floors, ceiling and walls between apartments jointly belonging to such apartment owners equally. Date of Symbolic Possession 04.10.2021	22/06/2021/ Rs. 42,59,565.00/-	Bengaluru

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : October 08, 2021
Place: Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer,
Bengaluru South Division, Amruth Nagara,
Konanakunte Main Road, Soudamini Layout, Bengaluru-62.

No: BBMP/EE/BSD/TEND/07/2021-22 Date: 07.10.2021

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER

SINGLE COVER TENDER (Standard Tender Document KW -1)
(Through **GOK e-Procurement Portal** only)

The Executive Engineer, (Bengaluru South Division), BBMP, Bengaluru-62 invites tenders from eligible Contractors registered in Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike or equivalent registration with KPWD/CPWD/ BWSSB/ Railways / MES / National Highway or any State Government Organisations for the Construction of works detailed in the table below.

Sl No	Name of the Works	Approx. Value of Work (₹ in Lakhs)	Category/ Reserved For
1.	Filling of Potholes in Ward No-184 Uttarahalli	20.00	Others
2.	Filling of Potholes in Ward No-185 Yalachenahalli	20.00	Others
3.	Filling of Potholes in Ward No-197 Vasanthapura	20.00	Others
4.	Filling of Potholes in Ward No-194 Gottigere	20.00	SC
5.	Filling of Potholes in Ward No-195 Konanakunte	20.00	Others
6.	Filling of Potholes in Ward No-196 Anjanapura	20.00	Others
7.	Filling of Potholes in Ward No-191 Singasandra	20.00	SC
8.	Filling of Potholes in Ward No-192 Beguru.	20.00	ST

Calendar of Events : (1) Tenders must be submitted online through e-procurement portal on or before **21.10.2021** at **4:00** pm. (2) Last Date for uploading the Filled Tender Document is: **21.10.2021** upto **4.00 PM**. (3) Date of Technical Bid opening of Tenders is on **22.10.2021** by **4:30** pm. Further details may be obtained from the above office during office hours on working days or from website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** **Sd/-**

Executive Engineer, Bengaluru South Division

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KARNATAKA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

49, Parisara Bhavana, Church Street, Bengaluru- 560 001
Ph : 080-2558 6520 / 2558 9112 Fax : 080-2558 6321
Email : ho@kspcb.gov.in Website : www.kspcb.karnataka.gov.in

No: PCB/421/17 Cat /EPH/King Rudra Sugars/2021/3277 Dated: 05.10.2021

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING NOTIFICATION

M/s. King Rudra Sugars Limited, have proposed to establish Sugarcane crushing plant with installed capacity of 1500 TCD (Operating capacity 1290 TCD) to produce 55 KLPD capacity Ethanol/Rectified Spirit/ Extra Neutral Alcohol based on "B"/"C" Heavy Molasses Sugarcane Juice/Syrup at Sy. No. 180, 181, 189, 178 in an area of 17.7599 Ha at Holkunda Village, Kamalapur Tehsil, Kalaburgi District, Karnataka.

As Per Environment Impact Assessment Notification dated: 14.09.2006 and Amendment dated: 01.12.2009, the project Proponent has to obtain prior Environmental Clearance from State Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Government of Karnataka and is required to go through Environmental Public Hearing process. As per the Terms of Reference issued by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority vide letter No: SEIAA 01 IND 2020 dated 14.05.2020 and Corrigendum TOR No: SEIAA 01 IND 2020 dated 26.08.2020 and request letter of the project proponent received at Board office on 04.01.2021, the Environmental Public Hearing is being conducted by KSPCB.

The details of the project are as follows:

1.	**Name of the Company & Address: M/s. King Rudra Sugars Limited** Holkunda Village, Kamalapur Tehsil, Kalaburgi District, Karnataka.
2.	**Location of the Proposed Project:** Sy. No. 180,181,189,178 in an area of 17.7599 Ha at Holkunda Village, Kamalapur Tehsil, Kalaburgi District, Karnataka.
3.	**Project proposed:** To establish Sugarcane crushing plant with installed capacity of 1500 TCD (Operating capacity 1290 TCD) to produce 55 KLPD capacity Ethanol/Rectified Spirit/ Extra Neutral Alcohol based on "B"/"C" Heavy Molasses Sugarcane Juice/Syrup
4.	**Date, time and venue of public hearing: Date: 09.11.2021 (Tuesday)Time: 11:00 a.m.** Place: Near Project Site, M/s. King Rudra Sugars Limited, Kattolli Village Cross, Mahagaon-Chincholi Road, Kamalapur Taluk, Kalaburgi District.
5.	**Places of availability of project documents as per EIA Notification, which is kept open to public are:** (a) Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kalaburgi District, Kalaburgi. (b) Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayat, Kalaburgi. (c) District Industries Centre, Kalaburgi District. (d) Office of the Regional Officer, Regional Office, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Kalaburgi. (e) Gram Panchayath, Holkunda Village. (f) Gram Panchayath, Kattolli Village. (g) Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change South Zone Office, E-3/240, Kendriya Sadan, 4th Floor, E&F Wings, 17th Main Road, 2nd Block, Koramangala, Bengaluru – 560 034. (h) **HELP DESK,** Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Ground Floor, No.49, Parisara Bhavan, Church Street, Bengaluru – 560 001.

NOTE: Suggestions, views, comments and objections of interested bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at project site and likely to be affected by the proposed project are invited within 30 days from the date of publication of this Notification to make oral/written/E-Mail suggestions to the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board/ Chairman, Environmental Public Hearing Committee (Deputy Commissioner, Kalaburgi District) Interested public can participate in the Public Hearing at the above place. **For details please visit our Website:http://kspcb.karnataka.gov.in.** **Sd/-**

Member Secretary

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THE HUTTI GOLD MINES COMPANY LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Hutti - 584 115, Raichur Dist., Karnataka State. Ph: (08537) 275463, 276339, 275054
e-Mail: material276339@gmail.com website: www.huttigold.co.in

TENDER NOTIFICATION No.39/21-22, Dt. 08.10.2021

(Through e-Procurement Portal only)

Tenders are invited by "The I/c Dy.General Manager (Materials)" for the procurement of following goods from reputed manufacturers/authorized dealers, as detailed below.

Sl. No.	Description	Qty.	Approx. Value (Rs. in Lakhs)
1	Supply of various types of valves. **HGML/2021-22/IND3169**	As per list	19.71
2	Design, Manufacturing, testing, supply, Installation and commissioning of self cleaning chemical free electrically stic scale remover. **HGML/2021-22/PM/WORK_IND338**	01 set	23.27
3	Procurement of Litharge Powder. **HGML/2021-22/IND3179**	13,000 kgs.	31.07

1. Last date for receipt of tender: **22.10.2021 at 4.00 P.M.**
2. Opening of Technical Bid on: **25.10.2021 at 10.00 A.M.**

Tender shall be submitted through e-procurement portal only & tender processing fees as per e-portal norms.

Please visit website: **https://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** for submitting the bid. Any further details can be obtained from the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- I/c Dy. General Manager (Materials)

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PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby informed to the General Public that the **Champions Educational Trust**, Office at L32, Second A Main Road, HSR Layout, 6th Sector, Outer Ring Road, Bangalore, Karnataka, Champions Educational Trust properties bearing Sy.No. 44/1, registered Document No.3248/2016-17, Sy.No.44/2, registered Document No.2557/2016-17, Sy.No. 44/5, registered Document No. 2563/2016-17, Sy.No. 51/3, registered Document No.2562/2016-17, Sy.No.77/1, registered Document No.2442/2015-16, Sy.No.77/9, registered Document No.2443/2015-16, all properties are situated at Heggondanahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, has lost the above properties original documents on 25-09-2021 at Chandapura Bus Stand, and have lodged a complaint to the Suryanagara Police Station dated: 03-10-2021 with Reference No.442/2021, if anybody find this documents please handover the same to following address.

H. CHINNASWAMY, Advocate
Krishnareddy Building, Mirza Road,
Anekal Town.
PH No. 9620193499, 8217457647

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

Regional Office, Bengaluru North: 4th Floor, Vijaya Towers, 41/2, M G Road, Trinity Circle, Bengaluru–560 001. Ph: 080-25584066 (Extn. No.: 362/394/520), Email: legal.blrnorth@bankofbaroda.co.in / recovery.karnataka@bankofbaroda.co.in / recovery.blrnorth@bankofbaroda.co.in, / drm.blrnorth@bankofbaroda.co.in Website: www.bankofbaroda.in

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

"APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" for recovery of below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below

Sr/ Lot No.	Name & address of Borrower/s, Mortgagor/s and Guarantor/ s	Description of the immovable / movable properties	Branch Name and Total Dues	Last date for EMD remittance and Date & Time of E-auction	Reserve Price EMD and Bid Increase amount Contact details	Status of Possession (Constructive / Physical)	Property Inspection Date & Time
1	**Sri.Basavaraj.H S/o Hanumanthappa** No9,19n th cross,Kagadasapura, C.V.Raman nagar ,Bangalore - 560093(borrower) **Sri.B.Raziualla S/o Budansab.** No:134/39,3 Rd Cross,Triveni Road, Yehswanthpura ,Bangalore-560022 (guarantor)	**Residential Flat Schedule A:** Site bearing khatha No.227/2,New BBMP Muncipal No.227/A-2-2,situated at 1st Cross,Kagadasapura, K.R.Puram Hobli,East Bangalore Taluk, now within BBMP limits, Ward No83.Bangalore,PID No83-55-227/A-2-2,in all measuring 2200 sq.ft.and bounded by:East:Remainingportion of same property retained by the vendor,North:Property No.227/A3, West Road,South: Private Property. **Schedule 'B':**550 sq.ft.undivided share,right and interest in the immovable property mentioned in Schedule 'A'(i.e.proportionate to the built up area) **Schedule 'C'** Flat No.F-1,(A-2), in First Floor, measuring 1336.50.sq.ft.with super built up area with RCC roofing, mosaic tiles flooring, hone wood doors and aluminium windows, along with proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies and staircase,contained in the residential building constructed on Schedule 'A' property known as "VENKATA PRAGATHI"	Branch : ROSARB , Bengaluru North. Cust ID: CQCV00308 Rs.48,57,705/-(Forty eight lakhs fifty seven thousand seven hundred and five only) as on 04.09.2021 with further interest from 05.09.2021 along with costs and other charges.	**EMD remittance last date : 21.10.2021 Date of Auction : 22.10.2021 2.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	**Rs. 30,00,000/-(Thirty lakhs only) EMD: Rs. 3,00,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs Only) Bid Increase amount Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty five Thousand Only)**	**Physical Possession**	**After 11.10.2021 10 am to 5 pm Contact: 9844142456**
2)	**M/s Star Products** #582, kalika Nagar, Andrahalli, Viswaneedam post, Bengaluru **Proprietor Borrower: Adnan mavad Address of borrower:** No-15, 1st phase, 2nd main, WOC road, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010 **Gurantor: Abdul Majid Mavad** # 22, 2nd main 4th cross , Muneshwara layout Bengaluru-560032.	Residential Flat no.FF-103,1st floor, Galaxy Residency, Site no. 11,12,15,16, 13&14, Byrathi Village, Bidarahalli, Bangalore 560077. Measuring Super Built up area- 1000 Sqft	Branch : Vijaya Nagar–EVB Cust ID- AK1V24030 Rs.1,92,46,718 /- Rupees one crore Ninty two lakhsforty six Thousand seven Hundred eighteen Only) as on 29.02.2020 with further interest from 01.03.2020 along with costs and other charges. (PLUS UPTO DATE INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES	**EMD remittance last date : 21.10.2021 Date of Auction : 22.10.2021 2.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	**Rs.42,00,000/- (Forty two lakhs only) EMD: Rs. 4,20,000/- (Rupees Four Lakhs twenty thousand Only) Bid Increase amount Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty five Thousand Only)**	**Physical**	**After 11.10.2021 10 am to 5 pm Contact: 9036782086**
3)	**Mr. Prashanth Kumar Mrs.Kavitha Kumari K** No.75 Sri Venkateshwara Nilaya, Behind Netaji Popular School, Malleswaram Extension Ijoor, Ramanagar 562159	All that Residential Flat No.C 015 Forth floor,Global Aura No.15 PD No.I-39-15 Sy No.14,1st cross S.M Road Peenya Jalahalli West Yeshwanthapura Hobli Bangalore North Taluka Bangalore Measuring built up area:2000 Sq Ft	Branch : Peenya EVB Cust ID- FB4V18360 Rs. 1,16,14,936/- Rupees One crore sixteen lakhs fourteen Thousand nine hundred thirty six Only) as on 08.03.2021 with further interest from 09.03.2021 along with costs and other charges. (PLUS UPTO DATE INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES	**EMD remittance last date : 21.10.2021 Date of Auction: 22.10.2021 2.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	**Rs.93,00,000/- (Ninty Three lakhs only) EMD: Rs. 9,30,000/- (Rupees Nine Lakhs thirty thousand Only) Bid Increase amount Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty five Thousand Only)**	**Physical**	**After 11.10.2021 10 am to 5 pm Contact: 9007566050**
4)	**Mr. Vinay D(borrower) & Mrs. vathsalya (co applicant)** No. 12,3rd Cross Kasturba Nagar Guttahalli Main Road, Malleshwaram Bangalore-560003	SCHEDULE A PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of property No. 90 (Old No. 18) situated at Kanakanapalya, 2nd block, Jayanagar, Bangalore now under the limits of BBMP Ward No. 50, New Ward No. 153, bearing New Municipal No. 90, Kanakanapalya, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore with Unique PID No. 50-68-90, measuring East to West 23 feet and North to South 48 feet, totally measuring 1104 Square feet and bounded on the : East by: Road, West by: Muniyamma's Property, North by: Private Property, South by: Muninanjappa and sons' Property. SCHEDULE B PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of property bearing No. 98 (Old No. 18), situated at Kanakanapalya 2nd Block, Jayanagar Bangalore, now under the limits of BBMP Ward No. 50, New Ward No. 153, bearing New Municipal No. 98 of Kanakanapalya 2nd Block, Jayanagar Bangalore, with Unique PID No. 50-68-98, measuring East to West 128 feet and North to South 51 feet totally measuring 6528 Square feet and bounded on the : East by: Sarojamma's Property, West by: Road, North by: Passage, Private Property, South by: Muninanjappa and sons' Property. **SCHEDULE C PROPERTY** (Total Property) All that piece and parcel of property bearing New Municipal No. 90, Kanakanapalya 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore, now under the limits of BBMP Ward No. 50, New Ward No. 153, assigned unique PID No. 50-68-90, totally measuring 7632 Square feet and bounded on the: East by: Road, West by: Road, North by: Passage Private Property, South by: Muninanjappa and sons Property. **SCHEDEULE D PROPERTY**: (Undivided share of land conveyed under this Sale Deed) 342 Square feet of undivided share, right, title and interest of land in Schedule C Property. **SCHEDULE E PROPERTY**: (Super Built Up Area conveyed under this Sale Deed) Residential Apartment bearing Flat No. SF-5 (New No – 205) in Second Floor of "SANJANA SOVEREIGN" having 1650 Square Feet of super Built Up area constructed with RCC roofing, Vitrified flooring, Teak and Honne wood doors and windows with all civic amenities like Electricity, Water and Sanitary connections inclusive of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircases and other areas of common use along with One Covered Car Parking Place in Stilt Floor.	Branch : Kasturinagar branch(VJKAST) Cust ID: BV5V04041, BV5V04042 Rs. 9693515.69/- (Rupees Ninety Six Lakhs Nine three thousand Five Hundred Fifteen and Sixty Nine Paisa Only) as on 01.10.2021 with further interest from 01.10.2021 along with costs and other charges.	**EMD remittance last date : 15.11.2021 Date of Auction : 16.11.2021 2.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	**Reserve Price: Rs. 1,25,00,000/- (Rupees One crore twenty five lakhs Only) EMD: Rs. 12,50,000/- (Rupees Twelve five Lakhs only) Bid Increase amount Rs. 25,000/- (Rupees One lakh Only)**	**Physical**	**After 11.10.2021 10 am to 5 pm Contact: 78480 87606**
5)	**Mr. Nandeesh Kumar B C & Mrs. Mamatha V.P (borrowers)** No. 72, BBMP Khatha No. 218/235/72, 4th Main Road, Balaji Layout, M.S. Palya, Jarak Bande Kaval, New PID No. 009-W0052-5, Bengaluru -560097	All that piece and parcel of property No. 72, BBMP Khatha No. 218/235/72, 4th Main Road, Balaji Layout, M.S. Palya, Jarak Bande Kaval, New PID No. 009-W0052-5, Bengaluru -560097 measuring East to West (47+45)/2 feet and North to South 40 feet, totally measuring 1840 Square feet and bounded on the : East by: Road, West by: Private Property, North by: Road, South by: Property No.73.	Branch : MSRIT branch(VJMSRI) Cust ID: ZJMV11956, ZJMV15191 Rs.1,44,96,332.98/- (Rupees One Crore Forty Four Lakhs Ninty Six Thousand Three Hundred and Thirty Two and Paise Ninety Eight Only) as on 01.10.2021 with further interest from 01.10.2021 along with costs and other charges.	**EMD remittance last date : 15.11.2021 Date of Auction: 16.11.2021 2.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	**Reserve Price: Rs.2,22,00,000/- (Rupees Two crore Twenty Two Lakhs only) EMD: Rs. 22,20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Two Lakhs and Twenty Thousand only) Bid Increase amount Rs. 1,00,000/- (Rupees One lakh Only)**	**Constructive**	**After 11.10.2021 10 am to 5 pm Contact: 9008784604**

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm and . Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on Tel No. 080-25011520.

Date: 07/10/2021 , Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer, Bank of Baroda**

POSSESSION NOTICE - (for immovable property) Rule 8-(1)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of IIFL Home Finance Limited (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.) (IIFL HFL) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, a Demand Notice was issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the borrowers / co-borrowers mentioned herein below to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of IIFL HFL for an amount as mentioned herein under with interest thereon.

"The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, If the borrower clears the dues of the "IIFL HFL" together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred, at any time before the date fixed for sale or transfer, the secured assets shall not be sold or transferred by "IIFL HFL" and no further step shall be taken by "IIFL HFL" for transfer or sale of the secured assets.

Name of the Borrower(s) Bangalore BRANCH	Description of secured asset (immovable property)	Total Outstanding Dues (Rs.)	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession
Mr. Karthik, Mr. B K Murthy, Mrs. Anupama & Jrk Desing And Interiors **(Prospect No. 939069)**	All that piece and parcel of: Site No.11, admeasuring 960 sq.ft.V P Katha No.59/3, Hongasandra Village, Begur, Hobli, Banglore, 560068, Karnataka,India	**Rs. 23,35,765/-** (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Five Only)	21-June-21	05-Oct-21
Venkatesha M and Swetha V **(Prospect No 860202 and 921211)**	All that piece and parcel of Property no.331 Anugondananhalli Tirumalashetti Halli situated at Kasaba Hobli, Hoskote Taluka Near Anjaneya Temple Bangalore Karnataka.	**Prospect No.860202 Rs. 20,93,106/-**(Rupees Twenty Lakh Ninety Three Thousand One Hundred and Six Only) **Prospect No. 921211 Rs. 3,89,791/-** (Rupees Three Lakh Eighty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety One Only)	17-April-21	05-Oct-21
Mr. Arvind Kumar K, Mrs. Kumari A , Sri Sai General Store **(Prospect No. 851196 & 871451)**	All that piece and parcel of: Western Portion Of House List No 27, admeasuring 353 sq. ft. , Katha No 407 Situated At , Hongasandra Village Begur Hobli, Bengaluru, Pincode: 560068, Karnataka, India	**Prospect No. 851196 Rs. 13,00,150/-** (Rupees Thirteen Lakh One Hundred Fifty Only) **Prospect No. 871451 Rs. 12,74,280/-** (Rupees Twelve Lakh Seventy Four Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Only)	20-July-21	05-Oct-21
Mr. Deepak L & Mrs.Radha Appramya Shetty **(Prospect No. 745078 and IL10008297)**	All that piece and parcel of: Flat No.S8, 2nd floor, Rcbrindavan, BBMP Khatha No.119, Old Khata No.6031191112, Survey No.111/2, admeasuring 1129 Sft of SBA & 338.7 Sft of UDS, Situated At Chennasandra Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk Bangalore, Bangalore Rural, Karnataka	**Prospect No. 745078 Rs. 25,09,515.00/-** (Rupees Twenty Five Lakh Nine Thousand Five Hundred Fifteen Only) **Prospect No. IL10008297 Rs. 5,32,169.00/-** (Rupees Five Lakh Thirty Two Thousand One Hundred Sixty Nine only)	17-June-21	05-Oct-21
Mr. Vijay Kumar K and Mrs. Leelavathi **(Prospect No. 870551 and 946108)**	All that piece and parcel of: Property bearing New BBMP No.16 (Old No.129), 2nd Cross, Present Municipal No.129/16, measuring 1200 sq ft., Ward No 63, Pid No, 63-82-16 , Venkateshwara Layout, S.G.Palya, Bengaluru, 560029, Karnataka, India	**Prospect No. 870551 Rs. 7,27,785.00/-** (Rupees Seven Lakh Twenty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty Five Only) **Prospect No. 946108 Rs. 4,08,129.00/-** (Rupees Four Lakh Eight Thousand One Hundred Twenty Nine Only	23-June-21	05-Oct-21
Mr. Suresh Babu, Mrs. Jayamma, Mrs. K Krishnaveni, Karthikeya Enterprises and Mr. R Chengalarayappa **(Prospect No. 905703, 907952 & 934093)**	All that piece and parcel of: Site No.11/12, Katha No.117, admeasuring 1143.75 sq. ft., New CMC Katha No.114, Property No.117, Situated At Ward No.13, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bangalore, 560049, Karnataka, India.	**Prospect No.905703 Rs. 23,20,743/-** (Rupees Twenty Three Lakh Twenty Thousand Seven Hundred Forty Three Only) **Prospect No. 907952 Rs.18,97,605/-** (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Ninety Seven Thousand Six Hundred Five Only) **Prospect No. 934093 Rs 7,80,615/-** (Rupees Seven Lakh Eighty Thousand Six Hundred Fifteen Only)	25-Mar-21	05-Oct-21
Mr. Babu K and Mrs. Ashwini G **(Prospect No 866390**	All that piece and parcel of : Site No.128, in Property No. 102, area measuring 1095 sq.ft., situated at Dommasandra Village,Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, Pincode: 560046, Karnataka	**Rs.55,74,710/-** (Rupees Fifty Five Lakh Seventy Four Thousand Seven Hundred Ten Only)	08-April-21	05-Oct-21
Mr. Nagendra R, Mrs.Manjulamma N, Mr.Ramamurthy K and RM Consulting Service **(Prospect No.855180)**	All that piece and parcel of Southern Portion of Site No.40, old Property No.5, New Property No.5/2, Khatha No.5, admeasuring 600 Sft, Situated at Kodigehalli, K R Puram Hobli, Previously KR Puram CMC,Bangalore, Karnataka	**Rs. 27,69,765/-** (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Sixty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Five Only)	12-Jan-21	05-Oct-21
Mr. D V Mohan Murthy , Mr.D M Som Babu , Maxwell Facility Management Services , Mr.Ram Babu D M , Mrs.Shanthamma **(Prospect No. 913236)**	All that piece and parcel of: Site No - 52 , Propert No - 50/3, Kodigehalli K R Puram, Hobli, Bangalore, ward No 54 , Pincode 560036, Karnataka,India admeasuring 1150 sq feet .	**Rs. 52,74,386/-** (Rupees Fifty Two Lakh Seventy Four Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Six Only)	22-July-21	05-Oct-21

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Place: Bangalore Dated: 08-Oct-2021 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Limited**

The first meeting of the newly constituted Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams (TTD) Trust Board has approved tenders for several development projects, including the proposed Venkateswara temple at Jammu

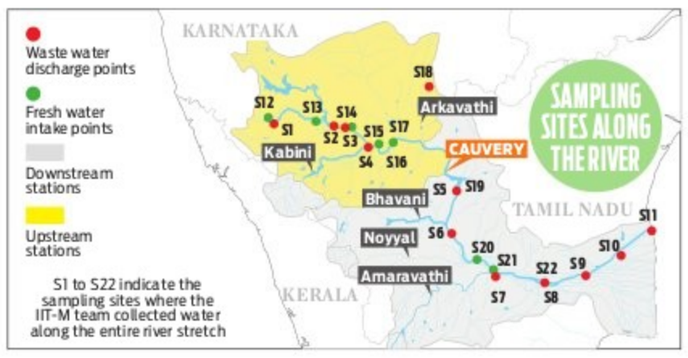
Pharma contaminants flood Cauvery

IIT-M study finds ibuprofen, diclofenac, anti-hypertensives and enzyme inhibitors in water

SV KRISHNA CHAITANYA @Chennai

IN a first, a team of researchers from the Indian Institute of Technology Madras (IIT-M) has found in the Cauvery river high concentrations of emerging contaminants, including the less-studied pharmaceutically active compounds, which pose a serious threat to the ecosystem.

Although there have been several studies in the past showing the deteriorating quality of Cauvery water, this is the first time a study has quantified the concentration levels of pharma contaminants. The study also reveals the water has a high concentration of at least 15 pharmaceutical contaminants, including anti-inflammatories such as ibuprofen and diclofenac, anti-hypertensives such as atenolol and isoprenaline, enzyme inhibitors like perindopril, stimulants like caffeine, antidepressants such as carbamazepine, and antibiotics such as ciprofloxacin.



The concentration of a few of these contaminants in the Cauvery are several times higher than in the river Ganga or some of the south Indian rivers. For instance, the detected concentration level of carbamazepine is 3,330.73 nanograms per litre (ng/L) in the Cauvery. This is 273 times higher than the levels in the Thamirabarani and 582 times than in the Vellar river.

Stating that the observations are alarming, researchers pointed out that Kanakpura in Bengaluru and Mettur in Salem district are the most polluted stretches along the river. The results of the study was published in the reputed peer-reviewed journal, Science of the Total Environment.

The semi-cryogenic propellant tank (SC120- LOX) | EXPRESS

HAL has supported ISRO right from the developmental phase of crew module atmospheric re-entry experiment, abort test for crew escape for human space mission
Source

HAL gives semi-cryogenic propellant tank to ISRO

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) on Thursday delivered its heaviest semi-cryogenic propellant tank (SC120- LOX) ever fabricated to the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO).

The semi cryo-liquid oxygen (LOX) tank --- the first developmental welded hardware --- is a part of the SC120 stage intended for payload enhancement by replacing the L110 stage in existing Mk-III launch vehicle.

Last year, HAL had delivered the biggest ever cryogenic Liquid Hydrogen tank (C32-LH2) which is 4m in diameter and 8m in length, much ahead of contractual schedule.

The propellant tank was handed over by MK Mishra, General Manager, Aerospace Division, HAL, to TKB Kumaresh Babu, General Manager (LHWC), Head of the resident team of Liquid Propulsion Systems Centre (LPSC), ISRO, in the presence of P Srinivasa Rao, Group Director (SR)-LPSC, at a function held in HAL.

HAL has mastered the skills and technologies required for fabricating welded propellant tanks. Till date, its aerospace division has delivered 244 propellant tanks and 95 water tanks to ISRO for the space programmes of Polar Satellite Launch Vehicles (PSLVs), Geo-stationary Satellite Launch Vehicle (GSLV) Mk-II and GSLV Mk-III of diameter 2.1, 2.8 and 4m where the length of the tank varies from 2.5 to 8m.

As a strategic reliable partner, HAL has been associating with ISRO for India's prestigious space programmes since the last five decades, and has delivered critical structures, tankages, satellite structures for PSLV, GSLV-MkII and GSLV-MkIII launch vehicles.

Various new projects like PS2/GS2 integration, Semi-cryo structure fabrication and manufacturing of cryo and semi-cryo engines are being taken up at HAL, for which installation and commissioning of unique infrastructures are nearing completion.

DU professor's 'Marks Jihad' post stirs row

ENS @T'Puram

A social media post by Delhi University's Kirori Mal College professor Rakesh Kumar Pandey calling students from Kerala 'Marks Jihad' has stirred up a political row.

Kumar, a former leader of the RSS-leaning National Democratic Teachers Front, alleged that the Kerala State Education Board deliberately awarded 100 per cent marks to students, forcing colleges in Delhi to admit students from the state to certain courses. He further alleged that this was a deliberate 2-3 year plan to tighten the Left-base in Delhi University.

Senior Congress leader **Shashi Tharoor** called the remarks "simply ridiculous". He tweeted, "The use of Jihad as a synonym for any trend you don't like is exceeding all limits. If jihad means a struggle (with yourself above all), the Kerala students scoring 100 pc have struggled against the odds to get to DU. Interview them first if you wish before letting them in, but don't demonise their marks! This anti-Kerala bias must end now."

The Student Federation of India has outrightly rejected the ' accusation, claiming that top-scoring students from the state were being denied admission to DU on flimsy grounds.

Govt resumes issuing ration cards, targets priority groups

PEARL MARIA D'SOUZA
@ Bengaluru

AFTER cancelling lakhs of ration cards as ineligible for the BPL category either by virtue of having a government job, or annual income Rs 1.2 lakh and above or other parameters, the state is slowly resuming issuance of new ration cards.

As per the government mandate, 50 per cent of the population in cities can be given BPL ration cards. Deputy Director of Food and Civil Supplies, Soumya, said due to that issuing new ration cards had stopped a year ago. Now, the department has slowly begun the process of issuing new BPL ration cards for priority sections such as terminally ill persons, she told TNIE. She urged the domestic workers' union to identify eligible candidates and give a list so that they can be considered in the priority category as well.

Soumya pointed out that in the city, those below poverty line and were daily-wagers were hesitant to go through the rigmarole of getting a new ration card. But, after the pandemic, food insecurity has become a major concern.

GO FISH

Fishermen push their boats to Kuzhuppilly beach at Vypeen, Kochi after the day's catch on Thursday | A SANESH

2 hawala operators nabbed with foreign currency

BALA CHAUHAN @ Bengaluru

THE Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI), Bengaluru, has arrested two alleged hawala operators and seized foreign currency worth around Rs 1 crore from their possession.

According to informed sources, on credible inputs, the DRI intercepted two Indian nationals at the Kempegowda International Airport (KIA) last weekend and seized foreign currency in US dollars, Dirhams and Euros wrapped in Malayalam newspapers and concealed in a mixer-grinder. The accused were on their way to Dubai, when they were arrested under Sections 104, 113, 135 of the Customs Act, 1962 read with Rule 7 of the Baggage Rules, 2016 for attempting to smuggle foreign currency.

Hawala, defined by the Interpol as transfer of money without its movement, is banned in India and is being investigated world over as a major source of terror and narco funding post 9/11. As per the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and World Bank (WB), globally, criminals launder an estimated $2-3 trillion each year. Under hawala, funds are paid to an agent or hawaladar, who then instructs his remote associate to pay the amount to the final recipient.

The National Investigation Agency (NIA) is investigating cases of terror funding through hawala route largely from Pakistan for extremist activities in Jammu & Kashmir. Around 40 cases of hawala and money-laundering are reportedly being investigated by the Directorate of Enforcement (ED).

The illicit exportation of foreign currency through any means such as hawala is prohibited in India under the Foreign Exchange Management (Export and Import of Currency) Regulations, 2015, read with Sections 2(33) and Sections 113 of the Customs Act in consonance with Rule 7 of the Baggage Rules 2016. An authorized dealer of foreign exchange (forex) is normally a bank specifically authorized by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) under Section 10(1) of FEMA,1999, to deal in forex or foreign securities.

25K devotees allowed daily at Sabarimala

T'Puram: As many as 25,000 devotees will be allowed daily at the Sabarimala Lord Ayyappa temple during the annual pilgrimage season starting on November 16. Entry will be allowed only through prior booking over the virtual queue system. Devotees need to have taken both doses of the Covid vaccine or produce an RT-PCR negative certificate. **ENS**

Cement prices rise by ₹60 a bag, developers urge govt to intervene

C SHIVAKUMAR @ Chennai

THE construction industry, which is struggling to shrug off the pandemic-induced woes, has suffered a fresh blow with cement manufacturers in South India warning that the production cost of cement is likely to go up by ₹60 for a 50kg bag.

The South India Cement Manufacturers Association (SICMA) has stated that cement production has been badly hit due to rise in the cost of imported coal. "Under these circumstances, it is likely that cement production will be badly hit. This could increase the production cost of a bag of cement by a minimum of ₹60. It is difficult to predict either further increase in fuel cost or capacity utilisation can be achieved by the cement industry in south India," a SICMA statement said.

Branded cement was selling at ₹420 per bag till last Saturday. At present, the wholesale price of 'A' grade cement has already risen to ₹480-490 while the retail price is ₹490-500. This has sparked alarm among property developers, who feel it could impact the residential sector badly. Builders estimate that real estate prices could rise by ₹250 to ₹500 per square feet.

With over 180 million tonnes capacity, South India accounts for around half of the installed capacity in the country. There is about 35 per cent of limestone deposits in the South and it can be a cement hub to meet the surge in the demand in other regions. According to industry sources, the cement industry has been facing restrictions in the domestic supply and distribution of good quality coal. This has forced the industry to rely on imported coal from the United States and Australia and also on the import of the coal substitute, pet coke.

In recent times, there has been an unprecedented increase in the cost of these fuels from $90 per tonne to $170 per tonne. The ₹400 cess per tonne levied on imported coal and 11 per cent additional duty on imported pet coke have added to the cost. The industry wanted the government to consider rollback of these levies at least till the time imported costs came down to a reasonable level of less than $100 per tonne.

Developers are not buying the argument. S Sridharan, chairman, Urban Development/ Affordable Housing Committee, Confederation of Real Estate Developers' Associations of India (Credai) National, said the rise in cement prices will bring the construction sector to a standstill and customers will be affected. "We urge the government to intervene," he said. Srinivas Anikipatti, senior director – Tamil Nadu and Kerala, Knight Frank, said the rise in cement prices will result in the overall construction cost going up by 2.5 per cent.

HOUSE COLLAPSE: PM ANNOUNCES RS 2L RELIEF

Prime Minister Narendra Modi condoled the seven deaths in the house collapse incident at Badalankalgi and announced Rs 2 lakh ex-gratia to the next of kin of the seven killed in the incident on Thursday. Meanwhile, Water Resources Minister Govind Karjol handed over cheques for Rs 5 lakh each to the victim's families as ex-gratia from the state. Karjol said that another Rs 1 lakh to the kin of each of the three children who died in the incident from the Children's Welfare Fund. The minister advised the Deputy Commissioner and Zilla Panchayat CEO to take up the survey of houses which are in a dilapidated state.

Water Resources Minister Govind Karjol hands over a cheque of Rs 5 lakh to the victims' families at Badalankalgi on Thursday | EXPRESS

Former Chief Minister SM Krishna inaugurated the 411th Dasara celebrations in Mysuru on Thursday | UDAYSHANKAR S

SMK opens low-key Dasara, prays for pandemic to end

Mysuru: Veteran politician and former Chief Minister S M Krishna inaugurated the 411th Dasara by lighting the lamp and offering flowers to presiding deity Chamundeshwari's idol placed in a silver chariot here on Thursday. He also prayed for the safety of people from the raging coronavirus. Dressed in silk dhoti, shawl and a green kurta, Krishna felt that it is his lifetime opportunity to inaugurate the Dasara festivities at Chamundi Hill as he grew with Mysuru culture and walked to the hill shrine as a student of Ramakrishna Vidyashala. Talking about the challenges the country is facing due to the pandemic outbreak, the veteran leader said: "Covid-19 has shaken the world and shattered the economy of several countries. However, India has managed to maintain the pace of development." He called upon citizens to behave responsibly and observed that the increase in literacy rate and human resources should be tapped as it is a blessing to emerge as a developed nation. **ENS**

'In just a week, 150 hospitalised'

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ANJENAPPA Dasar, a resident of the village, said that the local administration ignored early signs of contamination. "Goneppa Anagaragatti (55) was the first villager to die of contaminated water. We immediately informed the local authorities, but no one took it seriously till more and more people started getting admitted to various hospitals in the district and also in Dharwad and Gadag. In just one week, about 150 people were hospitalised due to contaminated water," he recalled.

Local officials claim that repair of the borewell is the main cause of incident. Water from the same borewells is being consumed for over 30 years. But after the Jal Jeevan Mission project work started, the contamination was reported.

The administration has set up a temporary hospital in the village. So far, six villagers with mild symptoms have visited the health centre. The administration is also supplying RO water since the last one week. The supply with continue till the water contamination issue is settled, said a Health Department official.

DEMAND NOTICE

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Name of the Borrower(s). /Guarantor (s)	Demand Notice Date & Amount	Description of secured asset (immovable property)
Mr. Ramesh N, Mrs. Susheela R **(Prospect No. 803977 & 943072)**	**04-Oct-2021 Prospect No. 803977 Rs. 16,29,810/-** (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Ten Only) **Prospect No. 943072 Rs. 3,17,661/-** (Rupees Three Lakh Seventeen Thousand Six Hundred Sixty One Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Site No. 06, measuring 40x30ft or 1200 sq ft., Assessment No.3/1, Khatha No.127, Situated at Hosahalli Gollarapalay Village, Kodigehalli Village,Panchayath YRP Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, 560068, Karnataka, India
Mr. Nagaraju S, Mrs. Shobha M, M/s. Dinesh Preci Tech Pvt. Ltd. **(Prospect No. 842392 and 772682)**	**05-Oct-2021 Prospect No. 842392 Rs. 6,14,967/-** (Rupees Six Lakh Fourteen Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Seven Only) **Prospect No. 772682 Rs. 17,21,447/-** (Rupees Seventeen Lakh Twenty One Thousand Four Hundred Forty Seven Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Flat No 008 , Ground Floor with super built up area measuring 920 sq.ft., in the apartment named as SS Carona, Situated At Village , Kengeri Hobli, South Taluk, Bangalore Pincode: 560060, Karnataka
Mr. Anil Srikisun Kumar, Amk Interior, Mr. Shri Kishun **(Prospect No. 824498)**	**04-Oct-2021 Rs. 22,22,812 /-** (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh Twenty Two Thousand Eight Hundred Twelve Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Flat No 301, admeasuring 1145 sq. ft., on the Third Floor, Sri Mythri Enclave, Site No 51 Khaneshumari No 134/51, Sy.No.32/1 Cozy Home Layout, Situated At Sompura Village, Sarjapura Hobli Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru, 562125, Karnataka, India
Mr. Thimmarayappa, Mrs. Lakshmamma **(Prospect No. 862531 & 923010)**	**04-Oct-2021 Prospect No. 862531 Rs. 7,91,661/-** (Rupees Seven Lakh Ninety One Thousand Six Hundred Sixty One Only) **Prospect No. 923010 Rs. 1,66,403/-**(Rupees One Lakh Sixty Six Thousand Four Hundred Three Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Khatha No.131, Plot No.13, admeasuring 1200 Sq. ft.,Kodigehalli, Bangalore, Pincode: 560092, Karnataka, India
Mr. Prasanath Singh, Mr. Anshuman Singh, Mrs. Saraswati Devi **(Prospect No. 863990 & 908577)**	**04-Oct-2021 Prospect No. 863990 Rs. 25,56,111/-** (Rupees Twenty Five Lakh Fifty Six Thousand One Hundred Eleven Only) **Prospect No. 908577 Rs. 10,80,544/-** (Rupees Ten Lakh Eighty Thousand Five Hundred Forty Four Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Southern Portion Of Site No. 7, admeasuring 1080 Sq. feet, Katha No. 53, Situated At Puttenahalli, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bbmp Khatha No. 595453, Having Pid No. 187-W0224-2, 4Th Cross, Puttenahalli, Uttarahalli,Hobli , Bangalore, 560061, Karnataka,India

If the said Borrowers fail to make payment to IIFL HFL as aforesaid, IIFL HFL may proceed against the above secured assets under Section 13(4) of the said Act, and the applicable Rules, entirely at the risks, costs and consequences of the Borrowers.For, further details please contact to Authorised Officer at Branch Office: IIFL HFL"ADAM CHAMBERS," #11, Richmond Road, Bengaluru - 560025/or Corporate Office : IIFL Tower, Plot No. 98, Udyog Vihar, Ph-IV Gurgaon, Haryana.

Place: Bangalore Date: 08.10.2021 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Ltd**

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Name of the Borrower(s). /Guarantor (s)	Demand Notice Date & Amount	Description of secured asset (immovable property)
Mr. Thirumoorthy M, Mr. Murugan G, Mrs. Palaniyammal M **(Prospect No. 817663)**	**04-Oct-2021 Rs. 4,71,144/-** (Rupees Four Lakh Seventy One Thousand One Hundred Forty Four Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Sf No. 52/13, Onnalavadi Village, Panchayath Road, Hosur Taluk, Krishnagiri Dist, Hosur, 635109, Tamil Nadu,India
Mr. Chitta Ranjan Dash, Choice Boutique And Ladies Tailoring, Mrs. Reema Dash **(Prospect No. 833982 and 779125)**	**05-Oct-2021 Prospect No. 833982 Rs. 3,53,765/-** (Rupees Three Lakh Fifty Three Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Five Only) **Prospect No. 779125 Rs. 20,62,712/-** (Rupees Twenty Lakh Sixty Two Thousand Seven Hundred Twelve Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Unit No.A-701, Seventh Floor, Tower No.15/ Block-10, super built up area of 656 sq.ft., Janaadhar Shubha II, M. Medehalli, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, 562106, Karnataka
Mr. Nagaraju, Mr. Nagesh, Mr. N. Ramachari, Mrs. Thayamma **(Prospect No. 943533)**	**05-Oct-2021 Rs. 23,42,617/-** (Rupees Twenty Three Lakh Forty Two Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : New property No.2, PID No.45-7-2, Site No 24, area measuring 450 sq.ft., 1St Cross, Azad Nagar, Chamarajpet, Banglore, Pincode: 560018, Karnataka
Mrs. Rajeswari M, Mr. Manjunatha D **(Prospect No. 838624)**	**05-Oct-2021 Rs. 1,67,117/-** (Rupees One Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand One Hundred Seventeen Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : 291/B, admeasuring 149.56 Sq. mtrs., Darasaguppe Village, Srirangapatna, Mandya, Pincode:571438, Karnataka, India
Mr. Dinesh Joshi, Mr. Rajendra Kumar Joshi, Mrs. Sobha Joshi **(Prospect No. 814840)**	**05-Oct-2021 Rs. 30,62,962/-** (Rupees Thirty Lakh Sixty Two Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Two Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Flat No 208,admeasuring 1041sq.ft ,Second Floor Byrathi Residency, Situated At Sy.No.45, Kyalasanahalli Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bengaluru, 560105, Karnataka,India
Mr. Harinath M, Mrs. Ambika T **(Prospect No. 875111)**	**05-Oct-2021 Rs. 29,20,187/-** (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakh Twenty Thousand One Hundred Eighty Seven Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Property bearing No No 8766/5162/12, Visweshevariah Layout Csi Hospital, Hoskote, Banglore, 562114, Karnataka, India admeasuring 1800 Sq. Feet
Mr. Dharmendra Kumar Motilal, Adorn Electricals, Mrs. Runa Devi **(Prospect No. 821678)**	**05-Oct-2021 Rs. 20,28,011/-** (Rupees Twenty Lakh Twenty Eight Thousand Eleven Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Site No 6 Sy.No.231, Situated At "Addevishwanathapura Village", Hesaraghatta Hobli Paripoorna II nd Phase Extension, Bengaluru, 560090, Karnataka, India admeasuring 120.365 Sq. meters

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Place: Bangalore, Mandya Date: 08.10.2021 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Ltd**

EDITORIAL

Airports drive me mad. I don't mind the flying; it's all the hassle before you get on the plane and afterwards, including walking five miles through corridors to the point where you queue for ages to check passports

June Whitfield

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— Ramnath Goenka

HEED HIGH COURT ADVICE, END CHURCH DISPUTE IN KERALA

It's not about the faith and has nothing to do with the God they worship. The feud in Kerala's Malankara Church is about the control of more than 1,000 churches and parishes. That's exactly why Justice Devan Ramachandran of the Kerala High Court, while hearing some petitions in this regard, sought to know who is benefitting from the continuing fight between the Orthodox and Jacobite factions of the church. In recent days, the court has repeatedly called for an end to the feud, asking the leaders of the two factions to resolve the dispute in accordance with the 2017 Supreme Court verdict that upheld the 1934 constitution of the church. It said there's only one constitution for the Malankara Church and hence, it cannot recognise the different factions. Alluding to the intense, often violent, tussle between the factions, the court said it's high time the churches are allowed to function as the abode of God, not as a place of war.

The court's call is both timely and appropriate, considering how the feud has continued even four years after the SC gave its clear-cut ruling. Ever since the verdict, the Jacobite faction has lost control over around 50 churches and may lose another 500-odd more if the Orthodox faction insists on implementing the order with regard to all those under dispute and takes legal recourse. The decades-old rift has resulted in the faithful being denied the right to worship and churches being locked up; it has even affected the burial of the dead—a highly sensitive matter within the community. It's this situation that the court wants the church to resolve. As it rightly pointed out, the continuance of the dispute can only help vested interests, not the real devotees on either side.

While the Supreme Court verdict should certainly be relied upon, the solution cannot lie in either of the factions taking control of the churches and denying the members of the other their rights. The factions must realise the futility of continuing the fight and heed the court's advice to end the matter once and for all. The current situation, as the court observed, benefits neither the faithful nor the Almighty.

TELANGANA SHOWS THE GREEN WAY

The decision of the KCR government to levy ₹5 to ₹500 to mop up ₹20 crore annually for Telangana Green Fund has earned the approbation of all sections. The burden on the people is very small but the benefit would be immense. The government seeks to collect a nominal amount of money from those belonging to all walks of life including people's representatives, bureaucrats, students, work contractors and even from the public at the time of registering their property documents. Though the fund is not huge, it is being promoted as it is expected to ensure active participation of the people in the green movement by imparting a sense of belonging.

Though the initiative to raise funds to restore the green canopy along with a vibrant wildlife is a step in the right direction, the key to success lies in its proper implementation. The government has laid the road to reach the target by bringing in an amendment to the Panchayat Raj Act that made all gram panchayats raise their own nurseries for use in the afforestation drive. This initiative is being taken up on the back of a steady increase in forest cover since the formation of the state in 2014. According to the Forest Survey of India, the increase was 3.67%. In fact, the total forest area in Telangana is now 26,904 sq km, 24% of the state's geographical expanse. This compares favourably to the national average of 21.34%.

The state has so far spent ₹6,556 crore on the restoration of green cover and rejuvenation of forests. The chief minister often says that the recognition of Haritha Haram by the UN as the world's third-largest effort in increasing green cover is a proud moment for Telangana. At a time when forests are disappearing, the state is doing well to try and reverse the trend and one hopes it succeeds in this endeavour.

Biden's foreign policy initiative in the Indo-Pacific hinges solely on forging a strategic partnership. The critical economic dimension has been ignored, at least for now

U.S. MOVES CAN AID CHINA'S ECONOMIC EXPANSION PLANS

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On September 15, US President Joe Biden announced the formation of AUKUS, a new enhanced trilateral security partnership between Australia, the United Kingdom, and the United States in the Indo-Pacific region. The President described AUKUS as "a partnership where our technology, our scientists, our industry, our defence forces are all working together to deliver a safer and more secure region that ultimately benefits all". AUKUS was thus projected as a regional public good, but the three heads of governments avoided mentioning the reason for their coming together, namely, the threat from China.

On the face of it, AUKUS appears to be a throwback to the Obama presidency's foreign policy, the high point of which was the pivot to Asia. However, there is a major difference. Besides the strategic dimension, President Obama decided to create an economic area under the US leadership by stitching together the 12-member Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP), which was abandoned by his successor, Donald Trump. In contrast, the Biden presidency's foreign policy initiative in the Indo-Pacific hinges solely on forging a strategic partnership; the critical economic dimension has been ignored, at least for now.

While the global media gave plenty of space to the formation of AUKUS, they chose not to report an important development that took place immediately afterwards. Hours after the AUKUS was announced in Washington DC, China made a formal application to join the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP), the trade agreement between 11 countries formed after the US pulled out from the TPP. China had long been interested in expanding its economic presence in the Indo-Pacific and its CPTPP application must be read in this context.

Till date, the most noteworthy initiative was taken during China's chairmanship of the 21-member Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) in 2014 when it leveraged an earlier decision of the grouping to examine the prospects of a Free Trade Area of the Asia Pacific (FTAAP). China succeeded in getting the APEC members to endorse the "Beijing Roadmap for APEC's Contribution to the Realization of the FTAAP". But why did Beijing push for the FTAAP when two regional trade agreements, namely, the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP) and the TPP were being negotiated in the Indo-Pacific region? This was because these agreements hardly reflected Beijing's ambitions; the RCEP was driven by the members of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), while the TPP was being shaped by the US. However, with FTAAP continuing to remain on the drawing board, President Xi Jinping made an important announcement in the APEC Summit in 2020 that China would "favorably consider" joining the CPTPP.

There are justifiable reasons for China to join the CPTPP, even though RCEP provides a large market, averaging nearly 32% of its total trade since 2014. What makes the CPTPP more attractive for China as compared to RCEP is that while the share of the latter grouping in its total trade had declined from nearly 34% in 2017 to 31% in 2020, its trade with CPTPP members had increased from 20% in 2014 to nearly 24% in 2020. Besides, CPTPP provides China with the opportunity to expand its economic footprint in non-Asian members of the grouping.

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It may appear that China's prospects of joining CPTPP would be slim since most of its members have been close partners of the US, having actively participated in the now-defunct TPP. However, China's bid to join CPTPP has been welcomed by Malaysia while Singapore and Japan have argued that Beijing's membership depends on its ability and willingness to accept CPTPP's stringent rules. Further, the Vietnamese government has agreed to share information regarding its experience of joining the CPTPP with China. Among the other members, New Zealand seems to have developed a special relationship with China, which is also its largest export market having a share of 30%. And Mexico is currently experiencing a diplomatic charm offensive by the Chinese leadership.

Even if China's membership is backed by CPTPP members, the US can spoil China's chances by invoking the "poison pill" provision in the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement. This provision requires any of the three members of the Agreement to consult the others if it wishes to pursue a trade deal with a non-market country like China. However, commentators are divided in their opinion as to whether the "poison pill" provision can adversely affect China's interests.

There is no gainsaying that by proposing its own version of "pivot to Asia", which lacks a coherent economic strategy, the Biden administration would, in fact, help China in realising its long-term ambitions of economic expansion in the Indo-Pacific. The Obama administration, mindful of the fact that geography, economics, and technology favoured China in its competition with the US, decided to forge an economic partnership agreement, namely, the TPP, with several key partners, which could be expanded later to include others like India. With China's move to join CPTPP receiving more than the requisite support and interest from the existing members of the grouping, the US may well have lost the plot.

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AIRLINES AND THE ART OF COMPLICATING THINGS

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Once upon a time, all I had to do was to buy a flight ticket from a travel agent and reach the airport on time. Everything else was taken care of by the airline staff. Today, with extreme automation, I am not only doing more than half the work of the airline industry, from buying my own ticket to checking in myself, but also dealing with their ever-increasing complication quotient. Devoid of the core work of serving the customers, they are busy finding new revenue streams by putting a price tab on everything. In the process, they annoy the customer with every pop-up ad or message to buy add-on services.

About 48 hours before the flight, my email inbox, my WhatsApp chats and my SMSs are flooded with messages reminding me to check-in, interspersed with those that push sales for meals, seats, insurance and priority check-in to avoid a queue at the airport. Constant reminders to do so many things assume I have nothing to do but read and act on the airline's messages. I am reminded to do the free web check-in or pay for the airport check-in. This is after I have checked in and they have forgotten to send me the promised boarding pass. They ask me to print the boarding pass and baggage tag. When the airline staff will print the tag themselves anyway, why put pressure on the passenger? How I wish pushing these messages were not so easy and cheap.

Every seat now comes with a price tag. If you ask airline algorithms to auto assign the seat, which as of now is free of cost, they forget to send you a boarding pass. Join the dots that airport check-in comes for a cost. If you point out the glitch in their design, the blame can easily be put on technology that remains out of bounds for those questioning. It is painful to see that the best seats remain empty while the elderly struggle to make their way to the last rows. Sometimes I wonder if they start by first assigning all the middle seats instead of the other way round. I genuinely want to see the revenue contribution of seat sales for airlines, as it comes at the serious cost of deprioritising all customer comforts.

When it comes to boarding, tech-savvy travellers beam mobile passes, cautious ones carry printed ones, others print hardly readable ones at the self-check-in counter and a small sample has the good old one—printed by the airline staff. Imagine the confusion this causes while scanning the QR code at multiple checkpoints. At least till the pandemic is around, it would be easier to have a uniform boarding pass that can be easily shown and scanned from a distance. A mobile pass is invariably touched by multiple people as phones lock many times, the QR code needs to be in sight and broad daylight blinds the screen.

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Travelling norms are changing on a daily basis due to the pandemic. Vaccination certificates, RT-PCR reports, symptom checks and self-declarations have to be accommodated in the flying process. I understand it is an additional step, but now we have been into it for more than a year. Why can't there be a single vaccination flag or code on the boarding pass that ensures no multiple checks are needed at both the boarding and landing airport? The vaccination certificate is linked to my ID, so it should be easy to verify that data. Even if it is not, put the flag on the boarding pass and be done with it.

Due to Covid, there are so many instructions on wearing masks, maintaining social distance and other norms. They are followed to an extent, but the moment you board the bus taking you to and from the aircraft, all norms are flouted by stuffing as many people as possible. It would be easier to let people walk to the aircraft—I wonder why we are not redesigning the system to let go of the buses that ply for kilometres just to cover a small walkable distance.

Airlines need to seriously work on reducing the buffer time spent before and after the flight. One is expected to reach the airport two to three hours in advance. Add 60-90 minutes to reach the airport in big cities, you are asking for three to four hours before departure on average. A 30-minute buffer is built into the flight time. It is frustrating to land 30-40 minutes before time when your pickup vehicle has not yet reached the airport, adding another hour. Not to forget the baggage retrieval time. The buffer time to flight time ratio has to be brought down.

We as consumers also need to look at trains as an option for shorter journeys; they may be less glamorous but far easier. Train stations are within the city and there are no annoying steps, no security checks, no limitations on baggage as it stays with you and no sitting in a constrained space. Metaphorically, staying on earth has its own benefits, including being sustainable. For longer journeys, hopefully airlines will make it smoother and more comfortable to fly.

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Galloping cost of living

This is with reference to *LPG price up, nears ₹1,000 in some cities* (Oct 7). The galloping cost of living is affecting the lives of the common people. But governments at the Centre and states, particularly those under the BJP, do not seem to care. The Union finance minister is busy addressing macroeconomic issues but has ignored the plight of the middle class.

V N Subramanyam, Bengaluru

No change in Kashmir

Your editorial about the 'Kashmir government's playbook' hits the nail on the head (*Deaths in the Valley and a deep sense of hurt too*, Oct 7). Nothing seems to have changed in the Valley except the political structure of the erstwhile J&K state. The hopes given to Kashmiri Pandits are also waning with the murder of minorities by terrorists. The prime minister's intentions on change might be honest but the situation certainly does not give hope.

Capt Raju Mathai (Retd), Kochi

Winning people's hearts

This is with reference to *Congress using tragedy to derive political mileage, alleges BJP* (Oct 7). The solidarity of the Congress with the bereaved is not political but ethical. It is not to win votes but the hearts of the people.

P J Sam Alexander, Thiruvananthapuram

Deriving political mileage

The Gandhi family using the Lakhimpur Kheri tragedy to derive political mileage as alleged is unfortunate. It is sad that Rahul Gandhi is trying to stoke unrest in BJP-ruled states while ignoring the plight of farmers and the incidents of violence against them in Rajasthan and other states governed by the Congress.

K R Srinivasan, Secunderabad

Teacher did his duty

The Supreme Court is right in quashing criminal proceedings against the teacher of a private school in Jaipur who was booked for abetment after a student committed suicide. The student had taken the extreme step after the teacher reprimanded him for bunking classes. As the court has ruled, it is the duty of a teacher to instil discipline in pupils. We shall be doing a great disservice to the teaching community if we do not appreciate their efforts to inculcate good qualities in students.

P G Menon, Chennai

TN's battle against exam

The Tamil Nadu government seems to be fighting a losing battle against conducting the NEET entrance exam all over India. The efforts of a delegation of DMK leaders led by a Rajya Sabha MP of the party to elicit the support of Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan failed as the situation in Kerala is quite different to that in Tamil Nadu and there are no complaints as such against the entrance exam in the state.

N A Joseph, Ettumanoor

Drawbacks of health ID

The Digital Health ID scheme has its advantages, but there are also drawbacks: inadequate digital infrastructure, digital divide and privacy concerns being the most prominent. The government should work to strengthen the health infrastructure.

Romil Mathew George, Pala

Tata and transformation

This is with reference to the opinion article *Transformation of Tata during liberalisation* (Oct 7). The author has vividly narrated the comparative transformation of Tata and HLL during liberalisation and there is no denying the fact that it is extremely challenging to lead any business during turbulent times. In my opinion, one mistake Tata made is that of losing the opportunity to specialise and become a world leader in the manufacturing of steel. They opted for diversification and lost the chance to become a world giant in steel production.

S K Prakash, Chennai

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Sitaram Yechury @SitaramYechury
Distressed families mortgaging gold to survive. Gold loans soared to ₹63K Cr, sacrificing emotional connect families have with inherited jewellery.

Shashi Tharoor @ShashiTharoor
The use of "jihad" as a synonym for any trend you don't like is exceeding all limits: a DU teacher has got attention by absurdly decrying #MarksJihad!

Narendra Modi @narendramodi
India will always be grateful to our armed forces and it is our absolute privilege to be serving them and fulfilling demands that were long pending.

Politicians continue to make a beeline for Lakhimpur

Akhilesh Yadav meets victims' families in the district; Priyanka goes to Bahraich; Navjot Sidhu and Harish Rawat stopped in Saharanpur

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Lucknow

LAKHIMPUR Kheri violence continued to be a political flashpoint on Thursday with leaders of various parties jostling to visit the grieving families of deceased farmers. In all eight persons were killed of which four were farmers, one was a journalist and rest three were BJP workers.

While former Uttar Pradesh chief minister and Samajwadi Party chief Akhilesh Yadav and Bahujan Samaj Party leader Satish Mishra went to Lakhimpur Kheri, Congress general secretary Priyanka Gandhi Vadra went to Nanpara in Bahraich district to meet the farmers' families. Raising the pitch of justice for the victim families, the SP chief expressed doubts over the intent of the government asking how justice would be ensured when the main accused was the son of a Union minister. Yadav said the main accused had not yet been arrested although evidence pointed to his role.

"All fingers are raised towards MoS in the BJP government. The accused are not yet sent to jail," said Yadav.

The SP chief also launched a broadside on the BJP government over a Kanpur trader's killing in Gorakhpur. "We want to know what was done in Kanpur's Manish Gupta's case. Why are policemen still absconding? Why an absconding IPS officer is not arrested?"

Priyanka sought justice for the victim families of Bahraich and said the matter "should be probed by a sitting Supreme Court or high court judge". For an unbiased probe, the minister must resign, she asserted.

On the other, Punjab Congress chief Navjot Singh Sidhu was taken into custody in Saharanpur while leading a protest march by Congress workers to Lakhimpur Kheri. He was taken to Sarsawa Air Force station. The party members accompanying Sidhu were also taken into custody. Another delegation led by Uttarakhand Congress leaders including Harish Rawat was also taken into custody in Saharanpur.

Punjab Congress chief Navjot Singh Sidhu with supporters march to Lakhimpur Kheri district in UP from Mohali on Thursday| PTI

Sidhu march exposes Cong fault lines

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

PUNJAB Congress tried to put united show as state unit president Navjot Singh Sidhu led a march to Lakhimpur Kheri district but the fault lines in the party were exposed again.

Chief Minister Charanjit Singh Channi and both his deputies, Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa and O P Soni appeared briefly and later left. While 40-odd MLAs gathered in Mohali for the start of the march, only five cabinet ministers and about two dozen legislators accompanied Sidhu further.

The differences between Channi and Sidhu continue as both leaders had a face off over the appointment of Punjab Advocate General APS Deol and Punjab DGP Iqbal Singh Sahota, Channi yesterday went to Lakhimpur Kheri with Rahul Gandhi and Priyanka Gandhi Vadra. Sidhu reached Mohali from Patiala in the morning, and left for Lakhimpur Kheri with a large convoy.

He announced that if the culprits of Lakhimpur Kheri accident were not arrested then he would go on hunger strike.

While first-timers and junior cabinet ministers Vijay Inder Singla, Pargat Singh, Gurkirat Singh Kotli, Amarinder Singh Raja Warring and Sangat Singh Gilzian were there, none of the senior ministers were present. Many ruling party legislators did not turn up as each MLA was told to get 200 vehicles from his or her constituency.

MLAs who went along with Sidhu included Madan Lal Jalalpur, Fateh Jang Bajwa, Raj Kumar Chhabbewal, Harjot Kamal, Rajinder Singh and working presidents Kuljit Nagra and Pawan Goel.

According to Pargat Singh "CM Channi flagged off our march and left as his son is getting married and at a function at his house. Despite that he spared some time for the flagging off," said.

'Compensation won't bring back my son; the minister must resign'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bhopal

UNION minister Ajay Mishra must resign and his son must be arrested immediately — these are the only demands of Satnam Singh, whose 19-year-old Lavpreet Singh was one of the four farmers mowed down by the vehicle allegedly belonging to Ashish Mishra.

"Compensation won't bring back my son. We want justice which can only happen when all those who murdered him are arrested. Can anyone allow the killers of his son to roam free, only because compensation has been announced by the government?" said the aggrieved middle-aged a marginal farmer from Bhagwantnagar Chaukhada village.

Lavpreet was the eldest among the three children of Satnam Singh and Satwindar Kaur. "He was their only son. After completing schooling, he was preparing for the International English Language Testing System for going to Canada to accomplish the family's quest for prosperity. But the family's dreams were cut short on October 3," said village pradhan Sukhdev Singh.

"He was a simple and amiable boy who was ready to help everyone. Lavpreet seldom participated in the farm agitation. On October 3, along with a few other youths of the village, Lavpreet went to the protest in Tikunia town but died after being mowed down by the vehicle of the minister's son," the village pradhan said.

A day after the Gandhi siblings met Lavpreet's family, a team of doctors arrived and conducted a detailed medical check-up of his mother. "The doctors found all her vital health parameters normal. They were ready to take her to hospital if she wanted more medical care, but she refused to go. She is fine now, but a woman doctor is staying back to keep a continuous tab on her health," the village pradhan said.

The Supreme Court had earlier in the day directed the UP government to immediately ensure proper medical care for Lavpreet's mother, who was said to be in a critical condition after her son's death.

Two-time MP is eyeing political entry for beleaguered son

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

A two-term MP from Lakhimpur Kheri and minister of state for home affairs in the Narendra Modi cabinet, Ajay Mishra has been in the eye of storm since Sunday. His younger son Ashish is the main accused in the case lodged by the farmers who alleged that he had run his SUV over the protestors.

Mishra was inducted into the Union cabinet in the latest reshuffle in July and was the only Brahmin face from UP. He recently challenged the protest against the agri laws saying it was more of a political show of 10-15 farmers and he could end the agitation in no time. It was against this statement that the farmers were protesting when the incident took place.

Mishra started as an independent zila panchayat member in 2009. He later joined the BJP and won the Nighasan assembly seat in 2012. In 2014, he won the Lok Sabha election from Lakhimpur Kheri and was re-elected in 2019. Besides his clout among the dominant Brahmin community, Mishra got overwhelming support from Kurmis, who also have a large population in the district.

Sources in Lakhimpur said Mishra is a popular leader but his rise is attributed to his caste. Allegedly short-tempered, he has a history on the crime front as well and is considered a 'strongman'. In 1990, a case was lodged against him in 1990 for breach of peace. In 2000, he was named in a murder case. A sessions court acquitted him in 2004 but the case is pending in the high court.

Mishra's son Ashish looks after the rice mills and petrol pumps owned by the family. He had sought a BJP ticket in 2017 but was denied. Sources claimed Mishra is eyeing a party ticket for his son and pushes him on public platforms, making him deliver speeches during the rallies.

Farmers hit by car in Ambala

A farmer was alleged hit by a car at Naraingarh near Ambala as a group of people protested against the farm laws. The farmers claimed the car belonged to the convoy of BJP MP from Kurukshetra MP Nayab Saini and Haryana transport minister Mool Chand Sharma. The farmers showed black flags to the BJP leaders and tried to stop their vehicles. Police sources said the farmer received minor injuries but lodged a complaint with the police against Saini and driver Rajiv.

Media not allowed at MoS event

MoS, Home, Ajay Mishra, on Thursday inaugurated the 7th national conference on prisons organised by the BPRD, a department under the Home Ministry. The media, earlier invited to cover the event, was not allowed in. The invitation was withdrawn over concerns that journalists could question Mishra on the delayed arrest of his son in connection with Lakhimpur Kheri incident. where Mishra's son allegedly ran over three farmers and a journalist.

Minister evades questions on Kheri

MoS, Home, Nityanand Rai left a function in a hurry on Thursday to avoid answering questions on the Lakhimpur Kheri case. He was at the RAF Ground in Meerut as chief guest of an event organised by the CRPF to mark the 29th anniversary of the first battalion of Rapid Action Force Battalion 108. In a video that went viral on social media, Rai is seen running away from questions on Lakhimpur violence. The video also shows CRPF DG Kuldeep Singh asking journalists to "not irritate" Rai.

SC VERDICT

NGT can suo motu clear green issues

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

IN A major verdict, the Supreme Court said that National Green Tribunal (NGT) can take suo motu cognisance based on letter petitions and media reports under NGT Act 2010 and can also initiate proceedings on issues pertaining to environmental significance.

A bench of Justices A M Khanwilkar, Hrishikesh Roy, and C T Ravikumar delivered the judgment on a batch of petitions seeking direction on the suo motu jurisdiction of NGT.

"NGT is the institutionalisation of the developments made by this Court in the field of environment law. These progressive steps have allowed it to inherit a very broad conception of environmental concerns. Its functions therefore, must not be viewed in a cribbed manner, which detracts from the progress already made in the Indian environmental jurisprudence," the judgement stated.

It further stated that, "The NGT Act, when read as a whole, gives much leeway to the NGT to go beyond a mere adjudicatory role. The Parliament's intention is clearly discernible to create a multi-functional body, with the capacity to provide redressal for environmental exigencies. Accordingly, the principles of environmental justice and environmental equity must be explicitly acknowledged as pivotal threads of the NGT's fabric."

Panel files contempt plea as Kappan unwell

New Delhi: Kerala Union of Working Journalists has filed a contempt petition in the Supreme Court alleging that journalist Siddique Kappan, who has been in prison for over a year, is sick and in severe pain due to lack of medical attention to him. The plea also cited an earlier SC order in which it had observed owing to the apparent precarious health condition of the arrestee, it is necessary to provide adequate and effective medical assistance to him.

Dissenters out as BJP unveils new national executive

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

CRACKING the whip against dissenters within the party, the BJP on Thursday showed the doors to the MP Varun Gandhi and former union ministers Maneka Gandhi and Choudhary Birendra Singh from the coveted club of the national executive. The 80-member national executive consists of a large number of Union Ministers, besides accommodating electorally influential leaders who joined the saffron outfit in the recent years, including Mithun Chakraborty and Dinesh Trivedi from West Bengal.

The BJP will also hold its first national executive council in the national capital on November 7, a first in over two years. The election of the BJP chief J P Nadda is yet to be endorsed by the national council of the party in line with the party norms.

The national executive has retained the party veterans L K Advani and Murli Manohar Joshi in its ranks, which also consists of all the national office bearers.

The BJP MP Varun Gandhi, who has been vocal in solidarity with the farmers agitating against the contentious farm laws along with his mother Maneka Gandhi were dropped from the top panel of the party. Former Union Minister Choudhary Birendra Singh, who had joined the BJP from the Congress to head the Ministry of Rural Development in the first tenure of the NDA government led by Prime Minister Narendra Modi too was shown the exit door. Singh had recently shared dais with the Indian National Lok Dal (INLD) leader Om Prakash Chautala against the farm laws. Former Union Minister and the BJP MP from Damoh, Madhya Pradesh, Prahlad Singh Patel, whose name purportedly had popped in the Pegasus snooping list was also dropped from the national executive of the party.

Rajya Sabha MP Subramanian Swamy too was removed from the national executive. The veteran BJP MP had engaged in a tug of war with the BJP IT head, Amit Malviya.

The notable inclusion was of the Union Minister of state for law and justice S P S Baghel and Dara Singh Chouhan, both imports from the BSP. The two are known to have clout with extremely backward castes in the poll bound Uttar Pradesh.

UK drops quarantine for jabbed Indian travellers

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE United Kingdom on Thursday said that Indians who are vaccinated with Covishield or any other Covid vaccine approved by the country are not required to quarantine upon arrival starting October 11.

The decision puts to an end a row that had erupted over the non-recognition of Covishield and vaccine certificates issued by Indian authorities by the UK. British High Commissioner to India Alex Ellis took to twitter to make the announcement. "No quarantine for India travellers to United Kingdom fully vaccinated with Covishield or another UK-approved vaccine from 11 October. Thanks to Indian government for close cooperation over last month," he tweeted.

India had called the UK travel guidelines discriminatory and imposed reciprocal measures on British nationals arriving in the country from UK, mandating a 10-day quarantine for them.

The UK government, in a statement said that it had extended inbound vaccinated arrivals system to a further 37 countries including India, South Africa and Turkey, meaning eligible vaccinated passengers arriving from the rest of the world countries only need to take a day 2 test in England.

India to allow international flyers from October 15

Opening up the country for foreign tourists, India on Wednesday announced that it would be granting tourist visas to foreigners travelling by chartered flights from October 15 and those arriving by other commercial flights would be able to get tourist visas from November 15.

Officials in the union ministry of home affairs (MHA) said that the decision was taken in view of several representations from tourism sector and state governments that the Central government received for allowing foreign tourists into the country.

Backlog of SC/ST list vacancies in Central ministries doubles in 4 years

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

GOVERNMENT data revealed that the number of unfilled posts in the Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes reserved category in Central ministries has increased substantially over the years.

As per the data from the Department of Personnel & Training (DoPT), the backlog vacancies in SC and ST category in was 8,223 and 6,955 in the year 2016 and it increased to 14,366 and 12,612 in the year 2019.

The Supreme Court on Wednesday took note of lower presence of SCs,STs in government jobs.

The data also disclosed that more than 50 per cent of posts in the SC/ST category are lying vacant in the year 2019. The data on backlog vacancies said that in SC category, there were 13,979 filled up positions and 14,366 unfilled out of total 28,345 posts. Situation looked similar in the ST category as there were 9,404 filled up posts and 12,612 unfilled as against the total vacancies of 22,016 in ST category.

UNFILLED VACANCIES

YEAR	SC	ST
2016	8,223	6,955
2017	15,090	13,040
2018	13,560	12,679
2019	14,366	12,612

The department monitors the progress in filling up of backlog reserved vacancies for SCs, STs and OBCs with ten Ministries/Departments. It has said that filling of vacancies, along with backlog reserved vacancies, is a continuous process and instructions have been issued to all ministries and departments of the Central government to constitute an In-House Committee for identification of backlog reserved vacancies, to study the root cause of such vacancies, to initiate measures to remove the factors causing such vacancies.

As per the department, each ministry and department of the Centre is required to designate an officer of the rank of deputy secretary and above, as Liaison Officer, to ensure due compliance of the orders and instructions on reservation.

A parliamentary standing committee in its recent report also said the backlog vacancies are multiplying.

THIRD WAVE

Govt prepared to handle 5 lakh Covid cases per day

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE day saw Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurate 35 PSA oxygen plants installed in various hospitals across various states, and the government said that it was preparing to deal with 4.5 to 5 lakh Covid cases per day as per forecast of a possible third wave.

Authorities, however, also clarified that there is no evidence or projection available to suggest that the situation could get that bad, also issuing strong warnings for the next three months that will see many festivals.

During the second peak of the Covid19 pandemic in India, the country had reported nearly 4.14 lakh cases in a day before swift decline began.

"We don't have a straightforward formula to calculate what extent the peak could reach this time after reaching 71 per cent vaccination with the 1st dose and a certain level of natural infection. But the government is preparing for a surge of 4.5 to 5 lakh cases per day," said V K Paul, member (health), Niti Aayog on Thursday in a Union health ministry briefing.

The second wave of the pandemic which caught the country rather unawares in April-May.

FOOD POISONING

Nearly 100 people, mostly children, fell sick and showed symptoms of food poisoning after consuming food at a post-death ritual organised by a person in Chhattisgarh's Mahasamund district, officials said

6 MONTH EXTENSION TO MASK NORM IN TRAINS

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	34	25	Mumbai	33	27
Bhopal	33	21	Panaji	30	27
Jaipur	35	21	Patna	34	24
Amritsar	33	22	Lucknow	36	26
Chennai	33	27	Port Blair	28	26
Kolkata	34	27	Imphal	30	21
Srinagar	30	08	Chandigarh	39	22

Shah pulls up officials over Valley killings

Seven civilians shot dead in J&K in a week; security to be tightened in areas with sizeable minority presence

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi/Srinagar

UNION Home Minister Amit Shah on Thursday pulled up senior security and intelligence officials over the civilian killings in Jammu and Kashmir, directing them to ensure better law and order to prevent possible targeted killings in the future, sources said.

Shah chaired a high-level meeting to review the security in Jammu and Kashmir where as many as seven civilians have been shot dead in the first week of October alone.

The meeting was attended by Union Home Secretary Ajay Kumar Bhalla, National Security Advisor Ajit Doval, the chiefs of Intelligence Bureau, Central Reserve Police Force, Border Security Force and other senior officials of the security establishment.

Shah directed the top brass to identify the gaps which could have led to the increase in civilian killings in the Valley and also ordered for enhancement of security in areas where minorities have a sizable presence, said a senior security official who was in know of the meeting.

Back in Jammu and Kashmir, Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha also undertook a meeting to review the security situation in the newly carved out Union Territory. Sinha condemned the killing of two teachers belonging to minority communities on Thursday, saying a befitting reply would be given to the perpetrators of the terror attack.

Sinha said the terrorists and their patrons would not succeed in disturbing peace in the Union Territory. Sources said Sinha would be reaching the national capital on Friday to discuss the security situation with Amit Shah.

Jammu and Kashmir police DGP Dilbagh Singh said the targeted killing of civilians, particularly minorities, in the Valley was aimed at creating an atmosphere of fear and damaging the age-old communal harmony. The people who are targeting humanity, brotherhood and local ethos would be unmasked soon, Singh told reporters at the site of the latest militant attack.

"We regret the back-to-back attacks in which civilians have been killed. We are working on the previous cases and the Srinagar Police have got many clues and we will soon get the people behind such terror and barbaric attacks, he said.

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Security personnel arrive at Government Boys Higher Secondary School after militants shot dead two teachers, including a woman, at Eidgah Sangam area of Srinagar on Thursday | PTI

'Stay at home till govt ensures safety'

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

THE mother of Supinder Kour, the government school principal who was shot dead by militants, pleaded that she too should be killed as she couldn't live without her daughter.

"What had she done to you? Why did you kill her? I am not able to live now. Kill me," she said while wailing over the shocking death of her daughter. "She was a teacher. They should have killed me and spared her. She has small kids," the woman said with tears rolling down her cheeks as relatives tried to console her.

The body of the slain teacher would be cremated on Friday as her elder sister would be arriving from Chandigarh.

Meanwhile, the head of a Sikh outfit — All Parties Sikh Coordination Committee (APSCC) — Jagmohan Singh Raina said the killings were part of a conspiracy to create wedge among the majority and minority communities in Kashmir.

He asked the Sikh youth, who are working in different government departments, to boycott duties and sit at home till their security was ensured. Singh also asked the members of the majority Muslim community to intervene and secure the lives of minority community members.

Santpal Singh, president of Gurduwara Prabandak Committee Budgam, said a woman had been killed and no religion allowed killing of civilians. "We request the majority community to support us in identifying the killers," he said.

An elderly Sikh man said they has been living with the majority community in Kashmir during the last 32 years of militancy. "If the majority community does not support us now, it will be difficult to live here," he said.

DUSSEHRA IN BIHAR CUT SHORT BY MILITANT BULLETS

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ Patna

A pall of gloom has descended over the house of 55-year-old Veeranjan Paswan at Saidpur in Bihar's Bhagalpur district since Tuesday as the news of his death in a terror attack in Kashmir came as a lightning strike.

Veeranjan Paswan was a golgappa seller and had been working in the Valley for the last two and half years along with a brother and a few other relatives.

"Only a day before he was killed, father told my mother that he had booked ticket for coming home to celebrate Dussehra," said Vikram Kumar, the victim's son.

Rameshwar Paswan, a villager, termed Veeranjan an "honest man". Veeranjan had married off his first daughter Kanchan Kumari by taking a loan of ₹2 lakh, he said.

The relatives said the victim had moved to Srinagar with a hope to clear his outstanding debts.

Weeping inconsolably, Putul Devi, Veeranjan's wife, said: "*Ham sab garib hai so koi nahi madad kar raha* (We are so poor that nobody is coming forward to help)".

The couple has six children – four daughters and two sons. "My husband was the lone bread-earner of the family," Putul Devi said.

Victim's daughter Neha Kumari said the family has not just lost its bread earner but also all hopes for a better future. "Had we been born in a rich family of any *neta*, many would have come to help us. We are seeing no way to survive," she said.

Birendra Paswan, brother of Veeranjan, and a golgappa seller in Kashmir, was the first to inform about the incident to Putul Devi. The victim's last rites were performed in Srinagar in the presence of Birendra and a relative.

Meanwhile, Bhagalpur DIG Sujeet Kumar said the local SHO of Jagdishpur had gone to meet the family after information about Veeranjan's death was received.

Moved to Srinagar to clear debts

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Kashmiri Pandits take part in a candle light protest against the killing of civilians belonging to minority communities in Srinagar | PTI

Businessman's killing sows fear among Pandits

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

THE killing of prominent Kashmiri Pandit businessman and owner of Bindroo Chemist, Makhan Lal Bindroo, by militants in a highly secured area of Srinagar has sowed fear among the Pandits who chose to live in the Valley without migrating elsewhere.

Sanjay Tickoo, president of a non-migrant Pandit group — Kashmiri Pandit Sangarsh Samiti (KPSS) — said the incident has spread fear among the Sikhs in the Valley.

Most non-migrants staying in south Kashmir

About 800 Kashmiri Pandit families comprising 3,400 persons are living in different parts of the Valley. A majority of them are staying in south Kashmir's Pulwama, Shopian, Kulgam and Anantnag districts

Makhan Lal Bindroo, 68, was shot dead by militants at his shop at Iqbal Park area of uptown Srinagar. Bindroo was among the Pandits who did not migrate from the Valley after the eruption of militancy in J&K in 1990. He operated his pharmacy even during the peak of militancy. Tickoo said it was after 18 years that a non-migrant Pandit had been killed by the militants.

"The last time a non-migrant Pandit was killed was in March 2003, when 24 were gunned down in south Kashmir's Pulwama district," he said.

Tickoo said a few hours after Bindroo's killing, he wrote a letter to Lt Governor Manoj Sinha about the threat to the lives of prominent faces of non-migrant Pandits living in the Valley. "I again wrote to him on October 6. But there has been no response till now."

Tickoo claimed that for over a year, he had been trying to get an appointment with Lt Governor Sinha but to no avail.

"Bindroo's killing took place at a highly secured area in Srinagar. If a person is not safe in the highly secured zone of Srinagar, how come a person is safe in villages and far off places in other districts of the Valley," Tickoo added.

INDIA FLAYS PAK CHARGES

New Delhi: Responding to Pakistan's accusations of India committing atrocities in Kashmir, New Delhi has slammed its neighbour for repeating "litany of lies" at the UN, saying the country should stop cleansing its own minorities. Counsellor and legal advisor at India's Permanent Mission to the UN, Kajal Bhat said Kashmir would always be a part of India. "Pakistan is the biggest perpetrator and supporter of terrorism masquerading as a victim," she said.

POLL DIARY

BJP ANNOUNCES BYPOLL CANDIDATES

New Delhi: The BJP on Thursday released the list of candidates for by-elections to three Lok Sabha and 16 assembly seats in different states. The party has announced Brigadier (Retd) Khushal Thakur as candidate from Mandi Lok Sabha constituency in Himachal Pradesh. Mahesh Gavit and Gyaneshwar Patil have been fielded from Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Khandwa (MP).

CONGRESS LIST FOR HARYANA, RAJ OUT

New Delhi: The Congress on Thursday announced its candidates for the October 30 assembly by-elections in Rajasthan and Haryana. While Preeti Shaktawat will contest from the Vallabhnagar in Rajasthan, the party has fielded Shri Nagraj from Dhariawad-ST seat. In Haryana, the Congress has fielded Pawan Beniwal for the by-election to Ellanabad constituency.

MIXING OF OFFICIAL, POLL TOURS NOT OK

New Delhi: The Election Commission has said that ministers can't combine their official visits with poll campaign during the upcoming bypolls. The poll panel said the ministers should not combine their official and election tours after the polls were announced. All visits to the districts where the model code of conduct is in force have to be private, it said.

BJP TO PLAY OBC CARD IN MP BYPOLL

Bhopal: The BJP is playing OBC card in the October 30 Khandwa-Burhanpur Lok Sabha bypolls, eying to retain the seat amid factionalism. The saffron party has fielded its seasoned leader Gyaneshwar Patil (an OBC politician) from the seat. It's after 25 years that the party has fielded an OBC candidate from the seat, which has been won by it six times out of the seven elections.

Blood spilled on ground, says HC, tells Assam to file affidavit

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

THE Gauhati High Court has directed the Assam government to file a detailed affidavit on the eviction drive in Darrang during which two persons were killed in police firing.

Hearing two PILs — one by Debabrata Saikia of the Congress and another by the court taking suo motu cognisance of the incident — a division bench of Chief Justice Sudhanshu Dhulia and Justice Soumitra Saikia said it was unfortunate that "blood spilled on the ground". "It is a tragedy. Lives were lost. *Khun jameen par gir gaya* (blood spilled on the ground)," the chief justice observed.

Earlier, a viral video showed a photographer, engaged by the Darrang administration, stomping on an injured. The incident had triggered a country-wide outrage.

Asking the state if it believes the National Rehabilitation Policy is not applicable in Assam, the bench directed the government to file a detailed affidavit within three weeks.

In his petition, Saikia had stated that the people evicted were from marginalised sections and they were compelled to migrate due to the state's perennial problems of floods and erosion.

His counsel, advocate Chander Uday Singh, expressed surprise when the Advocate General said the names of 60 per cent of the people evicted were not on the list of the National Register of Citizens (NRC). Singh contested the AG's claim, pointing out that the NRC list has not been published yet.

The Congress hailed the court's decision. "The incident of firing a lone protestor by more than 40 armed policemen and the subsequent action of a government-affiliated cameraman shocked people all over the world," said Bobbeeta Sharma, party's spokesperson.

Darrang village after the violence

PLEA SEEKS ACTION BASED ON RULES

Two persons, including a 12-year-old boy, were killed in police firing and 20 others were injured in violence during an eviction drive in villages on September 23. The plea said the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 should be followed during evictions in Assam

EXPRESS READ

Man shot dead while praying inside mosque

Siddharthnagar (UP): A man was shot dead while offering namaz at a mosque in a village here Thursday. The incident took place in Kolua village. An unidentified person fired at Kamruzzama (55) from behind when he was reciting Quran after "azan" about 5 am, Additional Superintendent of Police (SP), Suresh Chand Rawat said.

IT searches at Maha Dy CM's properties

Mumbai: The IT slueths on Thursday carried out searches at properties, including sugar factories, linked to Maharashtra Deputy CM Ajit Pawar, his relatives and associates. The IT officials claimed to have found suspicious transactions to the tune of `1,050 crore. Reacting to the IT searches, Ajit Pawar called it politically motivated.

Aryan Khan's bail hearing today, custody plea rejected

MUMBAI: Bollywood superstar Shah Rukh Khan's son Aryan Khan and seven others accused in the cruise ship drug case were sent to 14-day judicial custody by a court here on Thursday.

Chief Metropolitan Magistrate RM Nerlikar, while rejecting the NCB's demand for extension of custody, said enough time had been granted to the probe agency to confront the accused.

NCB had sought custody of all the accused till October 11, stating that it needed more time ascertain the role played by each individual in the supply chain. "No further custodial interrogation is required in this case. Hence, they are remanded to judicial custody. Extended custody can't be granted on vague grounds," court stated in its order. Aryan Khan and other accused will remain in the NCB custody till their bail hearing on Friday.

New PR commissioner takes charge

Senior IPS officer Dipanshu Kaabra took charge as commissioner-cum-director of public relations and chief executive officer (Samvad) at new capital city Nava Raipur on Thursday. A proponent of 'self-regulated media', the new commissioner said that while the freedom of media was essential for proper functioning of democracy and keeping citizens well informed, there were concerns over misinformation, data manipulation and fake news. "There should be free flow of ideas amid independent and pluralistic media," he told his team while affirming that journalism is one of the most exciting professions.

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RAIPUR DIARY

State power company to recruit 3,000 personnel

With the Covid-19 pandemic leaving little scope for employment opportunities, placements and wage rise, some good news has emerged in the government sector on recruitment front. The Chhattisgarh State Power Holding Company is going to recruit 3,000 personnel for electricity lineman (assistant grade) post. After the formation of Chhattisgarh state this is the first time that a recruitment drive has been initiated in such a large scale. This will offer job opportunities to local youths for a regular government job. The power company's chairman Ankit Anand said the recruitment would be carried out locally for the regions of Raipur, Bilaspur, Durg, Bastar, Ambikapur and Rajnandgaon. The company is likely to offer more employment in other fields.

Victory Flame to reach state in December

The nation has kick-started 'Swarnim Vijay Varsh' celebrations, marking 50 years of India's successful efforts in the Bangladesh liberation war. The victory flames 'Swarnim Vijay Mashaal' lit from the eternal flame at National War Memorial in December last year will be in Chhattisgarh from December 12-19, as part of memorial events being held to honour the war veterans. Fifty years ago, in December 1971, the India had brought Pakistan to its knees, taken 93,000 Pakistanis as prisoners and given 75 million people of Bangladesh their independence.

Documentary 'Lal Johaar' on Shankar Niyogi

Nearly three decades after his death, a documentary based on the prominent trade union leader Shankar Guha Niyogi, a native of Rajhara (Chhattisgarh), has vividly revived his struggles. Niyogi, who had expressed fear for his life, was shot dead in 1991. Director Rajkumar Soni said his film is a tribute to the legendary leader who never bowed before injustice. The founder of Chhattisgarh Mukti Morcha, Niyogi stood for the rights of workers, never compromised with principles, cherished Gandhian philosophy, faced state's repression, imprisoned and was killed at his Bhilai office at the age of 48, Soni added. His struggles reflected the future of humanity, he added.

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No. : AS1/049386/2021 Dated : 08/10/2021

e-Tender No. : TNCSC/21-22/ET-26

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LAST DATE FOR ONLINE SUBMISSION : 09.11.2021

DIPR/ 2887 /TENDER/2021 **MANAGING DIRECTOR**

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POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **M/s. Pridhvi Asset Reconstruction and Securitisation Company Ltd., (PARAS)** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (SARFAESI Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a **demand notice dated 15.06.2020** calling upon the borrower company **M/s. Hitech Leather Garments Bangalore Private Limited,** its Directors and its Guarantors **Mr. K.L.Nagendra, Mrs. Janhavi Nagendra & Mr. K.N.Gopinath** to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being **Rs.25,23,37,601/- (Rupees Twenty Five Crores Twenty Three Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Six Hundred and One only)** as on **31.05.2020,** along with further interest and costs within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower company and guarantors having failed to repay aforesaid dues, notice is hereby given to the borrower company **M/s. Hitech Leather Garments Bangalore Private Limited,** its Directors and its Guarantors **Mr. K.L.Nagendra, Mrs. Janhavi Nagendra & Mr. K.N.Gopinath** and the public in general that the undersigned has **taken Possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **06.10.2021** in respect of property described herein below.

The borrower company, its Directors and its Guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the below mentioned property and any dealings with the said property will be subject to the charge of **M/s. Pridhvi Asset Reconstruction and Securitisation Company Limited** for an amount of **Rs.31,28,98,552/- (Rupees Thirty One Crore Twenty Eight Lakhs Ninety Eight Thousand Five Hundred and Fifty Two Only),** outstanding as on **30.09.2021** with further interest and costs thereon.

The borrower and the Guarantors attention is invited to provisions of sub section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Sl.	DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY - BELONGING TO SRI K.N.GOPINATH
1	All that house property bearing No.1916, 31st Cross Road, 9th Main Road, Banashankari Second Stage, Division No. 52 (A) Bangalore, measuring East to West :40'-0" or 12.19 Mtrs, North to south:60'-0" or 18.28 mtrs in all 222.84 Sq. Mtrs or 2400 sft. **bounded by: East:** Property No.1915, **West:** Property No.1917, **North:** Property No.1920 & 1921, **South:** Road.

Date: 06.10.2021, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer**

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central, Processing Centre (RACPC) – I,
No. 13/1, Bull Temple Road, Opp. Sri Rama Krishna Ashram,
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POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) of the security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (For Immovable Property)

A/c No. 38871900791/SVR/17808/HL/179

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India,** under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and, in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a **Demand Notice dated 07.07.2021** U/s 13(2) of the said Act,calling upon the Borrower **1. Mrs. Ashrafunnisa** w/o Mehaboob Pasha**, 2. Mr. Imran Khan** S/o Mehaboob Pasha, Both at. No, 10, 1st 'A, Cross, 2nd Main Road, Chinnayapalya, near Anjaneya Temple, Bangalore 560 078, **Also at:** Flat No. S-02, 2nd floor, **'A R FORTUNE'** apartment,Sy. No. 21/6, Next to BBPM office, Pattanagere Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore 560098 to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being the amount **of Rs.56,33,322/-**(Rupees Fifty Six Lakh Thirty Three Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty Two Only) as on **06.07.2021** with future interest & expenses thereonwithin 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower(s)/Mortgagers/Guarantors having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is hereby given to the Borrower(s)/Mortgagers, as well as the Public in General that, the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below, in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules **on this 04.10.2021**.

The Borrowers/Mortgagers/Guarantors in particular, and the Public in General is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property(s), and any dealings with the property(s) will be subject to the charge **of State Bank of India,** RACPC, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-560004.foran amount of **Rs.57,31,104/-** (Rupees Fifty Seven Lakh Thirty One Thousand One Hundred Four Only) as on **04.10.2021** and interest from **05.10.2021** and expenses thereon.

The borrower/mortgagor/guarantor's attention is invited to proviso of sub - section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Flat No. S-02, 2nd floor, in the Apartment Known as **'A R FORTUNE'** having super built up area of 1145 Sq ft, and undivided share of 298.86 Sq ft, with one car parking space, constructed in Sy. No. 21/6, Situated at Pattanagere Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore, and bounded on: East by: BBMP Office, West by: Temple, North by: 40 ft. Road,South by: 40 ft. Road

Place : Bengaluru *Sd/-*
Date: 04.10.2021 Chief Manager & Authorised Officer

IN THE COURT OF XXXII ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BENGALURU
C. Mis. No. 2883/2021

BETWEEN : 1) Smt. Hanumakka, D/o Chikkahanumaiah @ Chikkahanumanthaiah and Late Narasamma, W/o. Late Huchchaiah, aged about 73 years , R/at Narasandra Village, Magadi Taluk, Ramanagar District. **2) Sri Hanumanthappa,**S/o Chikkahanumaiah @ Chikkahanumanthaiah and Late Narasamma, aged about 61 years R/at Kalalugatta Village, Bidalur, Kollalagatta, Bengaluru Rural-562 123. **3) Sri Basavaraju .A** S/o Late Anjanappa, aged about 36 years, R/at No. 17, Kengunte, Janatha Colony, Malathhalli, Bengaluru-560 056. **...Petitioners**
AND: The Tahsildar, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru. ... **Respondent**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the petitioner has filed petition for obtaining an order seeking direction to above said respondent authority to enter the Death of mother of petitioner No. 1 and 2 and Grand mother of Petitioner No.3 by name **Smt. Narasamma W/o Late Chikkahanumaiah @ Chikkahanumathaiah, who died on 11-09-1989 at No. 17, Kengunte, Janatha Colony, Malathahalli, Bengaluru-560056** and accordingly obtain death certificate from the respondent.

If any person interested to file their objection in this matter, may appear at 11.00 am on **22.10.2021** to which date the case is posted for hearing , before the Hon'ble XXXII ACMM, Bengaluru.

Given tinder my hand and the seal of the Court this 23.09.2021.

By order of the court, Sheristedar, Court of the XXXII ACMM, Bengaluru.

PUBLIC NOTICE

We, the undersigned bring to the notice of the general public that our client Mr. Shivamallappa Mallaiah Chane Goudanadhodi, R/at No. 90/1-4, 2nd Main Road, 9th Cross, Vital Nagar, Bangalore-560026, has lost the Original sale Deed dated 08.08.2012 ,Registered as Document No.2686/2012-13 and Original sale Deed dated 03.07.2015 Registered as Document 2122/2015-16 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore , while Shifting the house. Accordingly He has lodged a police complaint in Bangalore city Police dated on 06.10.2021 with E-Lost No.64865/2021.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property bearing Municipal No. 90/1-4, PID No.45-16-90/1-4, (Old No.90/1-4/1 & 90/1-4) Situated at Vittal Nagar, Azad Nagar, Bangalore ward no.141, (Old No.45) presently within the limits of BBMP, Measuring: East to West:42ft & North to South:20ft in all measuring 840sqft and bounded on **East by:** Road, **West by:** Other property **North By:** 'D' Marked Property (as per Sketch), **South By:** 'B' Marked Property (as per Sketch).

HARISHA .S, Advocate
HBM LAW Associates, M No. 90609 50265

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Ph : 0435-2432322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746

POSSESSION NOTICE (Immovable Property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **City Union Bank Ltd.,** having its **Administrative Office** at **No.24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612 001** and one of the Branch Offices at **No.126, 33rd Cross, 11th Main, 4th Block, Near A.V.R. Swarna Mahal Signal, Jayanagar, Bengaluru Rural - 560011** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(2) & (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **08-04-2021** followed by paper publication date **21-07-2021** calling upon the borrowers **No.1) Mr. Purushotham J.K. S/o . J. Krishna Rao, 57/B, 18th Main, Banashankari 1st Stage, 2nd Block, Bengaluru - 560050. No.2) Mr. J.P. Anoop Krishna, S/o. Mr. Purushotham J.K., No.4990, SW Landing Dr.Apt., 204, Portland Oregon-97239 USA. (Represented by General Power of Attorney holder Mr. Purushotham J.K.), No.3) Mrs. Sandhya Purushotham, W/o. Mr. Purushotham J.K., 57/B, 18th Main, Banashankari 1st Stage, 2nd Block, Bengaluru - 560050 (Represented by General Power of Attorney holder Mr.Purushotham J.K.)** to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being **Rs.4,74,06,857/- (Rupees Four Crore Seventy Four Lakh Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Seven Only)** within 60 days from the date of the said Notice with subsequent interest thereon from **07-04-2021** with monthly rests.

The borrowers above named having failed to repay the amount despite the receipt of the above referred statutory notice, NOTICE is hereby given to the borrowers above named and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the Property described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this 04th day of October 2021.

The borrowers above named in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of City Union Bank Ltd. for an amount of **Rs.5,02,84,930/- (Rupees Five Crore Two Lakh Eighty Four Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty Only)** and interest thereon from **28-09-2021** till the repayment of entire dues.

The borrowers' attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Immovable Property Mortgaged to our Bank

(Property Owned by Mrs. Sandhya Purushotham, W/o. Mr. Purushotham J.K.)

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.1541/1, situated at 1st Block, Sir. MV Layout, Bangalore in the Layout formed by the BDA, Bangalore. Measuring East to West 15 metres and North to South 24 metres and totally measuring 360 square metres. Boundaries : East by : Site No.1541, West by : Site No.1541/2, North by : Site No.1542/1, South by : Road, In this above site area Building with respective Plinth Areas of Basement 2,604 sq.ft., G.F.2,046 sq.ft., F.F 2,604 sq.ft. and Second Floor -1,777 sq.ft.

Place : Bengaluru, Date : 04-10-2021 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287,
Telephone No. 0435-2402322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746, **Website :** www.cityunionbank.com

IN THE COURT OF XXXII ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BENGALURU
C. Mis. No. 2884/2021

BETWEEN : 1) Smt. Hanumakka, D/o Chikkahanumaiah @ Chikkahanumanthaiah and Late Narasamma, W/o. Late Huchchaiah, aged about 73 years , R/at Narasandra Village, Magadi Taluk, Ramanagar District.
2) Sri Hanumanthappa,S/o Chikkahanumaiah, Chikkahanumanthaiah and Late Narasamma, aged about 61 years R/at Kalalugatta Village, Bidalur, Kollalagatta, Bengaluru Rural-562 123.
3) Sri Basavaraju .A S/o Late Anjanappa, aged about 36 years, R/at No. 17, Kengunte, Janatha Colony, Malathhalli, Bengaluru-560 056. **...Petitioners**
AND: The Tahsildar, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru. ... **Respondent**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the petitioner has filed petition for obtaining an order seeking direction to above said respondent authority to enter the Death of father of petitioner No. 1 and 2 and Grand Father of Petitioner No.3 by name **Chikkahanumaiah @ Chikkahanumathaiah, S/o Buddanayaka, who died on 25.01.1987 at No. 17, Kengunte, Janatha Colony, Malathahalli, Bengaluru-560056** and accordingly obtain death certificate from the respondent.

If any person interested to file their objection in this matter, may appear at 11.00 am on **22.10.2021** to which date the case is posted for hearing , before the Hon'ble XXXII ACMM, Bengaluru.

Given tinder my hand and the seal of the Court this 23.09.2021.

By order of the court, Sheristedar, Court of the XXXII ACMM, Bengaluru.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my client intends to purchase the Schedule Property from 1) **MR. JAMEEL ULLA,** S/o. Late. Sardar Khan, **2) MR. NAYAZ KHAN,** S/o. Late. Sardar Khan, **3) MRS. SHAHEENA** D/o. Late. Sardar Khan, W/o Mr.Sadik, **4) MRS. YASMEEN TAJ** D/o. Late. Sardar Khan, W/o Mr.Mohammed Basha, **5) MRS. SHABEENA** D/o. Late. Sardar Khan, W/o Mr.Saleem **6) MRS. MUBEENA TAJ** D/o. Late. Sardar Khan, all are residing at No.539, Birappa Garden, Chamundi Nagar, R T Nagar, Bangalore - 560032.

Any person having any objection regarding the said sale transaction, may contact the undersigned advocate with relevant documents within 15 days from the date of this publication failing which it shall be deemed that there is no objection of any nature and my client will complete the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Larger Portion on the Eastern side of Property bearing Site No.35, BBMP Khatha No.89/5-A & 89/5-B, at 2nd Cross, Beerappa Garden, R.T.Nagar, Bangalore (earlier Situated at Cholanayakanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk), within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike in ward No.33-Manorayanapalya, measuring East to West 19.33 Feet and North to South 23 Feet, totally measuring 445 Sq.ft, and bounded on East by Cross Road, West by : Remaining Portion of same Site No.35 retained by Vendors, North by : 20 Feet Road and South by : Site No.37, Consisting of One Square A. C. Sheet house with red oxide flooring, cement and brick walls, jungle wood doors and windows having electricity connection vide RR No.C4LG23164.

Sd/- **K.R. Bharadwaj & Associates,**
Advocates,
No.32, 1st Floor, Sukh Sagar Cross Road,
3rd Cross, 3rd Main K.K. Halli,
Bangalore -560084. Ph. 9844011141
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KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

RAICHUR THERMAL POWER STATION
CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

NO: KPCL/2021-22/PS/WORK_INDENT11736 Dated: 05.10.2021

E-Tender Notification (Through e-procurement portal only)

Tender are invited from the contractors/agencies who are reputed individuals/Company and having past experience for the work of **"Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of CCTV Cameras in RTPS Colony as per IB Directions and Police Department"** through e-procurement portal **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** The last date for submission of tender is on or before: **21.10.2021 at 16:00 hrs,** Technical bid opening is on: **23.10.2021 at 16.00 hrs.** & Price bids opening is on: **26.10.2021.** Other details can be obtained from the Office of the **Executive Engineer (Safety), RTPS, KPCL, Shaktinagar – 584 170. Raichur District, Moblie No. 9449596547.**

THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, KOLAR DIVISION, KOLAR-563101
e-mail: eeklr@kpwd.gov.in, Website: www.kpwd.gov.in
Ph No: 08152-222022 Fax No.: 08152-227443

Re-Tender Notification No.: 12/2021-22 Date: 05.10.2021

e-Tender Notification - KW- 4 - 2nd Call

Re-Tender is invited through e-Procurement for **'construction of 1 court hall for III addl. District & Sessions Judge" Kolar (sitting at KGF) or to the newly sanctioned II Addl. Civil Judge & JMFC, KGF'** in the limits of K.G.F. Taluk Public Works Department from the Registered Contractors under H/A :4059-80-051-0-32-386-court buildings. Amount put to tender: Rs. **101.62 Lakhs** EMD Amount: **1.53 Lakhs**. Period for completion of work : 11 months.

Contractors may download the tender documents KW- 4 from Karnataka State e-Procurement portal (**viz., htpp://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**). Filled in tenders shall be uploaded on or before **4.00 p.m. on 04.11.2021** through Karnataka State e-Procurement portal. Tender received will be opened after **4.30 p.m. on 06.11.2021** in e-Procurement. Further details regarding the works and also for details about this tender Notification please contact e-Procurement portal and also you may contact this office during working hours.

Sd/-
DIPR/Kolar/JA/228/2021-22 **Executive Engineer,**

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KARNATAKA STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION

Civil Engineering Division, Tumakur - 572101.

No.: KST/EE/TK/JE/324/2021-22 **Date : 07-10-2021**

E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTIFICATION No. 01, 02, 03 & 04/2021-22

Tenders are invited in E-procurement mode from registered KPWD /CPWD/MES Contractors for the following work. Tender Notification and further details for the work can be downloaded from 08 /10/2021 free of cost from the e-procurement web site www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in

Sl. No.	Name of work	Tender Notification No	Amount put to tender (in Lakhs)	E.M.D (in Rs.)
1	Construction of Toilet Block @ Sira Bus Depot.	01/2021-22	31.24	62,500/-
2	Construction of Toilet Block @ Madhugiri Bus Station.	02/2021-22	31.22	62,500/-
3	Development Works (Construction of Shopping Complex) at Sira Bus station	03/2021-22	43.76	87,600/-
4	Developmental Works at Koratagere Bus station (reserved for Scheduled Cast) - Call-2	04/2021-22	17.80	22,250/-

Last date for submission of tender :15-11-2021. More details can be obtained from the Office of Executive Engineer, KSRTC, CE Division, Tumakur Bus Stop, Tumakur during working hours on all working days.

Sd/- Executive Engineer
DIPR/DDU/1804/AKAR/2021-22 **KSRTC, CE Division, Tumakuru.**

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KRISHNA BHAGYA JALA NIGAM LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL. NLBC Division
Rodalbanda-584127, Tq.Lingasugur, Dist.Raichur, E-mail : kbjnlnlbc4@gmail.com

No.KBJNL/NLBC/PB/2021-22/1050 Date : 30-09-2021

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-tendering only)

On behalf of the Managing Director, KBJNL, Bangalore, the Executive Engineer KBJNL, NLBC Division, Rodalabanda invites **percentage tenders in two cover system** from eligible PWD Class.1 Contractor for **Improvements of roads** comes under Yalaburga Constituency of Koppal District. (Total 3 Nos) under, as detailed in the short term Tender Notification published in e-procurement portal viz **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**. The Intending tenderers may download the tender document through e-procurement portal viz., http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in. from **01-10-2021 to 13-10-2021 upto 4.00 PM** The bid will be opened on **16-10-2021** @ 11.00 AM and further details can be obtained from this office in any working days during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer
DIP/Raichur/377/MC&A/2021-22 **KBJNL NLBC Division, Rodalbanda**

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT RAJ DEPARTMENT

Notice Inviting Tenders for Supply of Steel rods for the year 2021-22

1. For full details, visit **www.tntenders.gov.in**
2. e-Bids are invited by the Additional Collector(Dev)/Project Director, DRDA of all Districts of Tamil Nadu (except Chengalpattu, Kanchipuram, Villupuram, Kallakurichi, Vellore, Ranipet, Tirupathur, Tirunelveli & Tenkasi Districts) state under two cover system, for supply of Steel rods for the year 2021-22.
3. The bid documents can be downloaded free of cost from **www.tntenders.gov.in** from 12.10.2021 to 11.11.2021.
4. Common date and time for downloading of Bid document, submission and opening:
   (i) Last Date and Time for downloading and Online Submission of Bid Documents : 11.11.2021 Upto 3.00 PM
   (ii) Date and Time of online opening of Bid Documents : 11.11.2021, 4.00 PM onwards

Director
DIPR/2885/Tender / 2021 **Rural Development and Panchayat Raj.**

"சோதனை கடந்து சுதந்திரம் அடைந்தோம், சாதனை புரிந்து சரித்திரம் படைப்போம்."

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase the property **Sy. No. 32, New Sy. No. 32/2,** situated at **Binnamangala Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Benglauru Rural District,** measuring **4-Acres 01-Guntas,** from its present owner **Sri. Kalegowda S/o. Late Eranna @ Thammaiah,** residing at Muttanahalli Village, Chikkarasinakere Hobli, Mandya Taluk & District, who derived title to it by a **Sale Deed dated 04.03.2006, Regd. Doc. No. DNH-1-07031/2005-06 of Book I & stored in CD No. DNHD 80** at **SRO, Devanahalli, Bengaluru (R) District** and also by a **Release Deed dated 29.01.2021, Regd. Doc. No. DNH-1-08032/2020-21 of Book I & stored in CD No. DNHD 1195,** at **Senior SRO, Devanahalli.**

Hence, if any one claims any valid and legally subsisting /sustainable claim /right over the above said property or objection to its sale, the same may be lodged with the undersigned **in writing, within 10 (TEN) days from the date of this notice along with supporting documents in Originals** and if no such claim or objection is received, my party shall proceed to purchase the above said property and no claims or objections will be entertained thereafter and such claims / objections will not be binding on the above said property or my client.

Vijayakumar V., Advocate
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Seshadripuram, BENGALURU-560 020.
(O) Ph: 080-23312490
e-mail:
vijay_advocatebangalore@yahoo.com
Bengaluru Date: 07.10.2021

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase the property **Sy. No. 37,** situated at Binnamangala Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District, measuring 1-Acre 20-Guntas, from its present owners **1. Smt. Nanjamma, 2. Sri. M. Channappa, 3. Smt. Jagadhambha, 4. Sri. M. Shivaramaiah, 5. Smt. Shanthamma, 6. Sri. M. Nagaraj,** all children of **Late Smt. Parvathamma and Late H. C. Sri. Mayappa,** all residing at **Muttanahalli Village, Chikkarasinakere Hobli, Mandya Taluk & District,** who derived title it by a **Absolute deed of sale dated 16.09.1962, Regd. Doc. No. 1684/1962-63 at pages 168-175, Vol. 855 of Book I,** at **SRO, Devanahalli, on 29.09.1962** and thereafter by a **Partition Deed dated 27.04.1973, Regd. Doc. No. 238/1973-74 at pages 151-155, Vol. 1115 of Book I, at SRO, Devanahalli, on 28.04.1973.**

Hence, if any one claims any valid and legally subsisting /sustainable claim /right over the above said property or objection to its sale, the same may be lodged with the undersigned **in writing, within 10 (TEN) days from the date of this notice along with supporting documents in Originals** and if no such claim or objection is received, my party shall proceed to purchase the above said property and no claims or objections will be entertained thereafter and such claims / objections will not be binding on the above said property or my client.

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Bengaluru Date: 07.10.2021

THE BANGALORE CITY CO-OP. BANK LTD.,

ESTD: 1907
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE: NO. 3, Pampamahakahvi Road, Chamarajapet, Bangalore -18.
Office: 26678572 : 26600512: 26609066. Tele Fax: (080) 26617980

(Rule 8 (1) POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property) (Symbolically)

Whereas the undersigned being the authorised officer of The Bangalore City Co.operative Bank Ltd., A.O., No.3, Pampamahakavi Road, Chamarajapet, Bangalore-18 under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Ordinance, 2002 (Ord. 3 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued and demand notice calling upon the undersigned borrowers/ legal heirs to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers /legal heirs having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers /legal heirs and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Ordinance read with rule 9 of the said rule.

The borrowers / legal heirs in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of The Bangalore City Co.operative Bank Ltd., A.O., No.3, Pampamahakavi Road, Chamarajapet, Bangalore-18.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

Sl.No.	Name of the Loanee	Balance outstanding	Particulars of Immovable Property & Measurement
VIJAYANAGAR BRANCH			
1.	**Smt. Kanthamma**	Demand Notice Dated : **22.07.2021** Possession Notice Dated : **04.10.2021** Balance outstanding : **Rs. 39,34,055/- as on : 04.10.2021**	**No.1, 2/2, 2nd Main Road, Attiguppe, BBMP Ward No. 40 of Attiguppe, PID No. 40-107-1, 2/2, Bengaluru. East to West : 24 feet & North to South : 110 feet** East by : **5.6 X 110 feet Common passage, thereafter property belongs to Sri. Muniraju,** West by : **5.6 X 110 feet Common passage, thereafter property belongs to Sri. Seethappa,** North by : **Road,** South by : **Road**
2.	**Smt. Rathnamma**	Demand Notice Dated : **17.07.2021** Possession Notice Dated : **04.10.2021** Balance outstanding : **Rs. 46,95,452/- as on : 04.10.2021**	**No.11, 1st "B" Main Road, Bhuvaneshwarinagar, BBMP Ward No. 32 of Kempapura Agrahara, PID No. 32-20-11, Bengaluru. East to West : 30 feet & North to South : 40 feet** East by : **Property No. ½ (Eastern portion),** West by : **Property belonging to Mariyappa,** North by : **Property No. 50 & 51,** South by : **20 feet Road**
3.	**Sri. Venugopal. A**	Demand Notice Dated : **08.07.2021** Possession Notice Dated : **04.10.2021** Balance outstanding : **Rs. 22,19,002/- as on : 04.10.2021**	**New No. 16, Old No. 06, Assessment No. 44, Western portion, 5th Cross, Shivananda Nagar, Nagarabhavi, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk BBMP ward No. 35 of Marenahalli, PID No. 35-165-16, Bengaluru. East to West : 30 feet & North to South : 30 feet.** East by : **East portion of property No. 06,** West by : **Road** North by : **Property No. 05,** South by : **Property No. 07**
4.	**Sri. Siddaraju. M @ Siddaraju**	Demand Notice Dated : **22.07.2021** Possession Notice Dated : **04.10.2021** Balance outstanding : **Rs. 25,64,408/- as on : 04.10.2021**	**New No. 48, Old No. 125 & 8, 1st A Main Road, Bhuvaneshwarinagar, BBMP Ward No. 32 of Kempapura Agrahara, PID No. 32-19-48, Bengaluru. East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 35 feet** East by : **Remaining portions of property No. 08,** West by : **Property No. 09** North by : **Others property,** South by : **Road**
5.	**Sri. Gunashekaran. M**	Demand Notice Dated : **22.07.2021** Possession Notice Dated : **04.10.2021** Balance outstanding : **Rs. 15,49,104/- as on : 04.10.2021**	**New Municipal No. 40, Old Site No. 08, (Northern portion) "C" Block, Magadi Road, PID No. 32-2-40, K.P. Agrahara, BMP Ward No. 32, Bengaluru. East to West : 50 feet & North to South : 15 feet** East by : **8 feet Wide Conservancy Galli,** West by : **16 feet Wide Road** North by : **Gundappa's property,** South by : **Southern portion of the same property**
6.	**Smt. Kempamma**	Demand Notice Dated : **09.07.2021** Possession Notice Dated : **04.10.2021** Balance outstanding : **Rs. 13,73,006/- as on : 04.10.2021**	**No.32, Kavika Layout, BBMP Ward No. 42 of Bapujinagar, With PID No. 42-52-32, Bengaluru. East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 20 feet. Including 3 feet Common passage.** East by : **Eastern portion property belongs to Sri. H. Ravi Kumar,** West by : **Road** North by : **3 X 30 feet Common passage, thereafter property no. 33** South by : **Property No. 31.**
7.	**Smt. Neelavathi. R**	Demand Notice Dated : **15.06.2021** Possession Notice Dated : **04.10.2021** Balance outstanding : **Rs. 1,00,84,919/- as on : 04.10.2021**	**No. 3/1, House List No. 7, 3rd Cross, Old Khatha No. 75, Old Madiwala Village, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Nanjappa Layout, BTM 2nd Stage, BBMP Ward No. 65 of BTM Layout, PID No. 65-3-3/1, Bengaluru. East to West : 30 feet & North to South : 40 feet** East by : **Property bearing No. 06,** West by : **Property bearing No. 08** North by : **20 feet Road,** South by : **House List No. 09.**

Date : 07.10.2021 **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **The Bangalore City Co-operative Bank Ltd.,**

AXIS BANK

Plot No. 41, Seshadri Road, Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore-560009

POSSESSION NOTICE See Rule - 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Axis Bank Ltd.,** under The Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 had issued a Demand Notices calling upon the Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors to repay the amount mentioned In the notice within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors having failed to repay the amount, Notice is hereby given to the Borrowers / Guarantor / Mortgagors and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on below mentioned dates.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors in particular and the Public in General are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charges of the **Axis Bank Ltd.,** for an amount interest and Other Charges mentioned below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : 1. Mr. Sushil Kothari (Borrower), No.199, 38th Cross, 9th Main Jayanagar, 5th Block, Bangalore-560041, **Also At:** New Games and Gadgets, No.34, 1st Floor, 10th Main, 36th Cross, Jayanagar, 5th Block, Bangalore-560041, **Also at:** Flat No.C, 3rd Floor, Suraj Residency, Municipal No.14/14, PID No. 58/47/14/14, site No.14, 4th T Block 36th A Cross, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560041. **Mr. Babulal Kothari (Co-Borrower),** No.14/14, 3rd Floor, Suraj Residency, 36th Cross, 11th Main, Jayanagar 4th T Block, Bangalore, Karnataka-560041, **Mrs. Chandrakanta Kothari (Co-Borrower),** No.14 14, 3rd Floor, Surat Residency, 36th A Cross, 11th Main, Jayanagar 4th T Block, Bangalore, Karnataka-560041, **Mr. Mitesh Kothari (Co-borrower),** No.199, 38th Cross, 9th Main, Jayanagar 5th Block, Bangalore, Karnataka-560041, **Also at:** Sling Media Private Limited, No. 175 and 176 ORR Amani Bellandur Khane Varthur Hobli, Bangalore-560041, **Also At:** Flat No.C, 3rd Floor, Suraj Residency, Municipal No.14/14 PID No. 58/47/14/14, Site No.14, 4th T Block, 36th A Cross, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560041.

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.1,05,67,145 /- (Rupees One Crore Five Lakhs Sixty Seven Thousand One Hundred Forty Five Only) being the amount due as **19.04.2021** and interest thereon.

Loan A/c No : LPR168804239717 **Demand Notice Dated : 20.04.2021** **Possession Notice Dated : 05.10.2021**

Details of Mortgaged Property: **Schedule – A:** All that piece and Parcel of the immovable property bearing No. 14 (Previously in portions as 14 and 15 First Cross Road, Thayappanahalli) presently known as 4th T Block, 36th A – Cross, Jayanagar, Bangalore Mahanagara Palike ward No. 58 Bangalore-560041 measuring East to West 58 Feet and North to South 110 feet in all 6380 Sq Ft together with underneath and above the surfaces and bounded by: East : Private Property, West : Private Property, North : First Cross Road, South : Private Property.

Schedule – B: 6.46% equivalent to 412.75 Sq Ft (APPX) Undivided Share right title interest and ownership in schedule – A Property.

Schedule – C: All that residential Apartment bearing No. C in third floor of Suraj Residency Apartment in Schedule A property having separate Muncipal No. 14/14 and Property I.D (P.I.D) No. 58-47-14/14, belonging to ward No. 58 measuring 1710 sq ft of super built up area approximately together with proportionate share in common areas passages lobbies staircases and other areas of common use with One Covered Car parking in the basement floor and the apartment is bounded: East : Apartment No. D in the third floor of Suraj Residency, West : Open Towards Set back in Suraj Residency and thereafter private property. North : Open towards Set Back in Suraj Residency and thereafter private property. South : Apartment No. B in Suraj Residency.

2. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : Mr. B V Srinivas, No 896, 1st Block, Koramangala, Bangalore 560034, **Mr. B V Srinivas,** No 463/A 6th A Cross, 9th Main Street, Kormangala, Bangalore 560034. (Borrwer/Mortgagor) **Mrs Veenakumari R B,** No 463/A 6th A Cross 9th Main Street, Kormangala Bangalore 560034. (Co-Borrower).

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.94,41,638/- (Rupees Ninety Four Lakhs Forty One Thousand Six Hundred and Thirty Eighty Only) being the amount due as **04.06.2021** and interest thereon.

Loan A/c No : PCR000902331489 , LTR000903339034 & ECR000905394934 **Demand Notice Dated : 04.06.2021**
Possession Notice Dated : 05.10.2021

Details Of Mortgaged Property: All that piece and parcel of vacant BDA Property bearing Site no 896,formed by the Bangalore Development Authority situated at 1st Block, Koramangala, Bangalore, presently comes under Bangalore Mahanagara palike Ward no 68, New BMP Municipal no. 896, PID No. 68-1-896, at 1st Block, Koramangala, Bangalore, measuring East to West 9.14 meters North to South 6.09 Meters in all measuring 55.66 Sq.mts together with all rights, apparantenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded by: East by: Road, West By: Road, North By: Site No 895, South By : Site No 897.

3. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : Mr. Anand Kumar. N. V, (Borrower), Son of Venkataswamy Nanjaiah, R/O #415, New No. 7/1, 8th Main, 9th 'A' Cross Road, 50 Feet Road, Near Shanimahatma Temple, Hanumanthanagar, Bangalore- 560 019, **Also at:** Sri Venkateshwara Steels, No.1, Pattangere Main Road, Durga Parameshwari Layout, Rajarajeshwari Nagar, Bangalore- 560 098. **Mrs. Kamala (Co-Borrower),** Wife of Venkataswamy Nanjaiah, R/O #415, New No. 7/1, 8th Main, 9th 'A' Cross Road, 50 Feet Road, Near Shanimahatma Temple, Hanumanthanagar, Bangalore- 560 019.

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.57,44,548.00/-(Rupees Fifty Seven Lakhs Forty Four Thousand Five Hundred Forty Eight Only) being the amount due as on **20.04.2021** and interest thereon.

Loan A/c No : LPR168804188625 **Demand Notice Dated : 20.04.2021** **Possession Notice Dated : 05.10.2021**

Details Of Mortgaged Property: All that piece and Parcel of the property bearing CITB No. 415, 9th 'A' Cross, New No. 7/1, Sunkenahalli Village, Hanumanthanagar, Division No. 31, Bangalore, measuring East to West 16 feet, North to South towards Eastern side 27 feet and western side 34 feet, in all measuring 1515 Square feet, comprised of 72 Squares of RCC roofed building and bounded on: East : Eastern portion of same property, West : Property No. 389, North : Property No. 416, South : Road.

4. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : Mr. Sunil Jesurun King, S/o King Das, No.27, B-2650, 36th G Cross, Tilaknagar, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560069 (Applicant/Mortgager), **Also At: Mr. Sunil Jesurun King** S/o King Das, Director, Innovari Technologies Pvt Ltd., Commerce At Mantri Level 3, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore - 560076 **(Applicant/Mortgager)Mrs. Charlet Jabamani** W/o King Das, No.27, B-2650, 28th Main 36th G-Cross, 9th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560069, (Co-Applicant/Mortgager)

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.1,20,61,812.00/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Lakhs Sixty One Thousand Eight Hundred Twelve Only) being the amount due as on **08.06.2021** and interest thereon.

Loan A/c No : LTR000901617705, LTR000903999459, LPR000901681649 & PHR000901617718
Demand Notice Dated : 06.08.2021 **Possession Notice Dated : 05.10.2021**

Details of Mortgaged Property: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing House on Site no.27/B, Khata No. 98/27b/56, situated at 9th Block, 36th 'G' Cross Road, Jayanagar, 35th Division of Bangalore, together with all the building and structures thereon, fixtures, fittings and all plant and machinery attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth, both present and future and measuring East to West 25' or 7.62 mtrs and North to South 40' or 12.19 mtrs in all 92.90sq. mtrs and bounded on the: East by : Site No.28/A, West by : Site No.27/A North by : Road, South by : Site No. 34/B.

5. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : Mr. Umesh R Shinde (Borrower)S/o Ramrao Shindhe, #1687, 18th Cross,21st Main, Behind Maruthi Mandira, Vijaynagar, Bangalore-560040 **Also At: Mr. Umesh R Shindhe,** Sherya Marketing, #1687, 18th Cross,21st Main, Behind Maruthi Mandira, Vijaynagar, Bangalore-560040 **Mrs. Sowmyashree(Co- Borrower),** W/o Umesh R Shindhe, #1687, 18th Cross,21st Main, Behind Maruthi Mandira, Vijaynagar,Bangalore-560040 **Mr. Mahesh (Co-Borrower),** S/o Ramrao Shindhe , #1687, 18th Cross,21st Main, Behind Maruthi Mandira, Vijaynagar, Bangalore-560040.

Total amount mentioned in the notice : amount Rs.68,01,738.00/- (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakhs One Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Eight only) being the amount due as on **22.04.2021** and interest thereon.

Loan A/c No : no's LPR000902071230 and LTR000902578349
Demand Notice Dated : 22.04.2021 **Possession Notice Dated : 05.10.2021**

Details of Mortgaged Property: All that piece & parcel of Residential property of Northern Portion of Property bearing No.1687, MIGHS in Magadi Chord Road, Vijayanagar, Bangalore. Measuring: 1483 Sq.Ft, Boundaries of the Plot: North : Site No 1686, South : Site No 1688, East : Site No.1712, West : Road.

Date : 05.10.2021 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Axis Bank**

GLOBAL WEATHER
LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	22	18	HR	Los Angeles	32	16	SNY
Colombo	28	25	TDS	Melbourne	18	12	LR
Dhaka	33	27	TDS	Moscow	11	3	LR
Dubai	38	31	SNY	New York	22	13	SNY
Houston	27	23	SNY	Singapore	32	26	LC
Istanbul	19	14	SNY	Toronto	18	14	LC
London	16	8	LC	Washington	22	11	SNY

Tanzanian writer wins Nobel Lit Prize for work on refugee experience

STOCKHOLM

TANZANIAN-born novelist Abdulrazak Gurnah on Thursday won the Nobel Literature Prize for his writings on post-colonialism and the trauma of the refugee experience.

Gurnah, who grew up on the island of Zanzibar but arrived in England as a refugee at the end of the 1960s, is the fifth African to win the Nobel Literature Prize.

The Swedish Academy said Gurnah was honoured "for his uncompromising and compassionate penetration of the effects of colonialism and the fate of the refugee in the gulf between cultures and continents."

"His novels recoil from stereotypical descriptions and open our gaze to a culturally diversified East Africa unfamiliar to many in other parts of the world," the Nobel Foundation added.

Gurnah told the Nobel Prize website he was stunned to get the call from the Swedish Academy.

"I thought it was a prank," he said. "These things are usually floated for weeks beforehand... so it was not something that was in my mind," he said.

Abdulrazak Gurnah

He has published 10 novels and a number of short stories.

The head of the Academy's Nobel committee, Anders Olsson, said Gurnah's reflections on the plight of refugees were particularly topical.

"His writings are extremely interesting right now for many, many people in Europe and around the world," Olsson told reporters.

His itinerant characters "find themselves in a hiatus between cultures and continents, between a life that was and a life emerging; it is an insecure state that can never be resolved," the Academy said.

The theme of the refugee's disruption runs throughout his work, with a focus on identity and self-image, also apparent in the 1996 novel *Admiring Silence* and *By the Sea* from 2001. After his win, Gurnah urged Europe to see African refugees as assets, saying that "many of these people who come, come out of need, and also because quite frankly they have something to give."

"They don't come empty-handed. A lot of talented, energetic people who have something to give," Gurnah said.

Born in 1948, Gurnah fled Zanzibar in 1968 following the revolution there which led to oppression and the persecution of citizens of Arab origin.

He began writing as a 21-year-old in England. Although Swahili was his first language, English became his literary tool.

Gurnah is best known for his 1994 breakthrough novel *Paradise*, set in colonial East Africa during World War I, which was shortlisted for the Booker Prize for Fiction. The novel has obvious references to English author Joseph Conrad's 1902 novel *Heart of Darkness* in its portrayal of the innocent young hero Yusuf's journey to Central Africa and the Congo Basin.

Gurnah has until his recent retirement been Professor of English and Postcolonial Literatures at the University of Kent, focusing principally on writers such as Wole Soyinka, Ngugi wa Thiong'o and Salman Rushdie.

Ahead of Thursday's announcement, Nobel watchers had suggested the Swedish Academy could choose to give the nod to a writer from Asia or Africa, following a pledge to make the prize more diverse in gender and geography. *AFP*

Isolate Pakistan, cut off aid, says former US NSA

Wants the country confronted and punished over its continuing support for terrorism

WASHINGTON

ASSERTING that Pakistan Prime Minister Imran Khan must be held accountable for his comments after the fall of Kabul in August, a former US national security advisor has said that the Pakistani leadership should be confronted with international isolation for their support for jihadist terrorists, who are threats to humanity.

Testifying before a powerful Congressional committee on Afghanistan, Gen (retd) H R McMaster said it is delusional to think that any of the money that would go to the Taliban or through the Taliban for humanitarian purposes would immediately be used by the insurgent group to solidify their power and to become an even greater threat.

Gen H R McMaster

"So, we're in a situation where we're facing a really extraordinary dilemma that it's going to be tough for us to mitigate the humanitarian crisis without empowering the Taliban," he said in response to a question on Wednesday.

"I don't think we should give any assistance to Pakistan at all. I think Pakistan has had it both ways for way too long. I think Pakistan should be confronted with its behaviour over the years that has actually resulted, I think, in large measure in this outcome," said McMaster, who served as national security advisor during the Trump Administration.

"I think we ought to hold Imran Khan responsible for his comments when Kabul fell and he said that the Afghan people have been unshackled. Why should we send a dime to Pakistan under any conditions?" he said.

McMaster also said the Taliban takeover of Kabul has created an "extremely dangerous" situation in South Asia where India could suffer a cycle of sectarian violence similar to the one seen in the West Asia.

"One of the greatest dangers I think would be India suffering this kind of cycle of sectarian violence that you see across the greater Middle East. That could be incited by some of these groups like, you know, al-Qaeda and Lashkar-e-Taiba," McMaster said. He said the world and the US are in a more dangerous situation than they were on September 10, 2001.

"The reason we're not seeing attacks like 9/11 are because of our defensive capabilities that we've developed," he said. *PTI*

People carry an injured woman to a hospital in Quetta on Thursday | AFP

22 killed as quake jolts Balochistan

KARACHI

A powerful 5.9-magnitude earthquake jolted a mountainous part of Pakistan's Balochistan province early on Thursday, resulting in the collapse of a coal mine and several mud houses that left at least 22 people dead and over 300 others injured, officials said.

The National Seismic Monitoring Centre in Islamabad said that the epicentre of the earthquake was near Harnai, which has a large number of coal mines, at a depth of around 15 kilometres.

The quake affected Quetta, Sibi, Harnai, Pishin, Qila Saifullah, Chaman, Ziarat and Zhob in Balochistan. Most of the deaths and injuries were reported from the remote north-eastern district of Harnai where at least 13 people have died, according to officials.

At least four people were killed when a coal mine in which they were working collapsed, Suhail Anwar Shaheen, the local deputy commissioner, was quoted as saying by the Associated Press.

Disaster management officials said the death toll may increase. The US Geological Survey said it was a 5.9 magnitude quake that struck at a shallow depth.

Shallow quakes can cause more damage. Balochistan Home Minister Zia Ullah Langau confirmed that the death toll in the earthquake has reached 22.

Earlier, Deputy Commissioner of Harnai District Sohail Anwar Hashmi had said that six children were among 22 dead. *PTI*

100-YEAR-OLD EX-NAZI GUARD STANDS TRIAL

A 100-year-old man is going on trial in Germany on Thursday, accused of being an accessory to murder for serving as a Nazi SS guard at the Sachsenhausen concentration camp near Berlin

WILL KEEP MUM ON HIS TIME AT THE SACHSENHAUSEN CAMP

The court has not disclosed the name of the suspect. He is alleged to have worked at the Sachsenhausen camp between 1942 and 1945 as an enlisted member of the Nazi Party's paramilitary wing

Allegations include aiding and abetting the "execution by firing squad of Soviet prisoners of war in 1942" and the murder of prisoners "using the poisonous gas Zyklon B"

He is accused of "knowingly and willingly" assisting in the murder of 3,518 prisoners at the camp in Oranienburg, north of Berlin

However, Schuetz "will not speak, but will only provide information about his personal situation" at the trial, his lawyer Stefan Waterkamp, told the court

HEARINGS LIMITED TO TWO HOURS

Despite his advanced age, a medical assessment in August found Schuetz fit to stand trial, although his hearings are limited to a couple of hours a day

2,00,000

people were held at Sachsenhausen between 1936 and 1945. Tens of thousands of inmates died of starvation, disease, forced labour and other causes, as well as through medical experiments and systematic SS extermination operations including shootings, hangings and gassing

RACE FOR JUSTICE

More than seven decades after World War II, German prosecutors are racing to bring the last surviving Nazi perpetrators to justice, and have in recent years increasingly focused attention on lower-ranking staff

The case comes a week after a 96-year-old German woman, who was a secretary in a Nazi death camp, dramatically fled before the start of her trial, but was caught several hours later

Last-minute deal to extend US borrowing

WASHINGTON

SENATE Majority Leader Chuck Schumer said on Thursday an agreement has been reached with Republicans to extend the government's borrowing authority into December, temporarily averting a debt crisis.

"Our hope is to get this done as soon as today," Schumer declared as he opened the Senate. In their agreement, Republican and Democratic leaders edged back from a perilous standoff over lifting the nation's borrowing cap, with Democratic senators accepting an offer from Senate GOP leader Mitch McConnell.

He made the offer Wednesday shortly before Republicans were prepared to block longer-term legislation to suspend the debt limit and as President Joe Biden and business leaders ramped up their concerns that an unprecedented federal default would disrupt government payments to millions of people and throw the nation into recession.

The Senate leaders worked late into the night hammering out the details.

"The Senate is moving forward," McConnell said Thursday. The agreement sets the stage for a sequel of sorts in December, when Congress will again face pressing deadlines to fund the government and raise the debt limit before heading home for the holidays.

"Basically, I'm glad that Mitch McConnell finally saw the light," said Bernie Sanders, the senator from Vermont. The Republicans "have finally done the right thing". *AP*

GOVT. OF ODISHA
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OFFICE OF THE ADDITIONAL CHIEF ENGINEER
DRAINAGE CIRCLE, UNIT-8, BHUBANESWAR-751012
E-PROCUREMENT NOTICE NO.SEDC-BBSR-04/2021-22
A-503 email Id :- sedrainagebbsr12@gmail.com

1.	Name of Works	:	1. Improvement to Kusumi nalla from RD 11760 m to 33180m under DIP (New RD 69540m to 48120m as per approved LS) . 2. Improvement to Storm water drainage system of link drains of Debottar nalla and Balangi Drainage channel in Nayagarh town under Nayagarh Constituency. 3. Improvement to Barpa Nalla along with link drains of Kuanria system in Daspalla Constituency.
2.	Total number of Packages	:	3nos. individual packages.
3.	Estimated Cost	:	1. Rs.2,62,32,279/- 2. Rs.4,94,03,538/- 3. Rs.1,83,31,601/-
4.	Bid Identification No.	:	1) SEDC-BBSR/DD-KHR-05/2021-22 2) SEDC-BBSR/DD-KHR-06/2021-22. 3) SEDC-BBSR/DD-KHR-07/2021-22
5.	Period of completion	:	11(Eleven) Calendar months.
6.	Availability of Tender On - Line.	:	11.10.2021, 14.00 Hours to 01.11.2021, 17.00 Hours.
7.	Date of Opening of Technical Bid.	:	02.11.2021 at 11.00 hours in the O/o the Additional Chief Engineer, Drainage Circle, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar.
8.	Date of Opening of Financial Bid.	:	06.11.2021 at 11.00 hours in the O/o the Additional Chief Engineer, Drainage Circle, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar.
9.	Date of Lottery(If Required)	:	10.11.2021 at 11.30 hours in the O/o the Additional Chief Engineer, Drainage Circle, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar.
10.	Bid Security	:	Bid Security Declaration
11.	Cost of Tender paper	:	Rs.10,000/-
12.	Procurement Officer	:	Additional Chief Engineer, Drainage Circle, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar-751012.

Further details can be seen from the Govt. web site www.tendersorissa.gov.in. Addendum / Corrigendum/ Cancellation if any required will be published only in Govt. web site www.tendersorissa.gov.in
Sd/- Additional Chief Engineer
Drainage Circle, Bhubaneswar
OIPR- 32375/11/0001/2122

PUBLIC NOTICE
We, the undersigned bring to the notice of the general public that our client Mr. Muniraju S/o Doddavenkatappa, R/at No. 3627, Kacheriplaya, Doddaballapura, Bangalore Rural-561203. Has lost the Original, Sale deed bearing Doc No.4735/2010- 11 dated: 25.01.2011 while Travelling, Accordingly he has lodged in Bengaluru City Police though E Lost report Vide No.63252 dated on 04.10.2021 .
SCHEDULE PROPERTY
All that piece and parcel of the property bearing old Municipal Khatha No.724/672/1/4249/A and present Khatha No.724/672/1/4249/A situated at kacheripalya Doddaballapura Nagar , 4th Ward Bangalore Rural District, measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 35 feet over all measuring 1050 Sq.Feet.
HARISHA .S, Advocate
HBM LAW Associates,
No. 2, 1st Floor, Byranna Building,
Madanayakanahalli, Tumkur Road,
Dasanapura Hobli Near Canara Bank,
Bengaluru-562125.
Mobile No. 90609 50265

PUBLIC NOTICE
Is hereby given to the general public that my client Mrs. Jayasheel K R w/o Manoj haslost the Original property documents as follows : (1) Sale Deed, date 26-05-2001 Document No.2567/2001-02, Book I, stored in CD No. 8, CD No. 8, bearing Assessment No.54/31, Katha No. 2287/2436, Sale Deed executed by Mr. K Ranganna, son of Late. Kempanna, in favor of Mrs.Jayasheela KR, wife of Dr.M Manoj, duly registered as Document No.25957/2003-04, Book I, stored in CD No. 150, at SRO, Bangalore with respect to the property bearing Assessment No. 54/31, Katha No.20, measuring East to West 56 feet & North to South 33 feet, situated at Srigandha Kavalu Village, Yeshawanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk. All the people are hereby informed not to deal or carry out any transaction which anyone on thebasis of the said missing documents. Kindly return my client Jayasheela K R and if anyone has carried out or being carried out. Kindly inform my client Jayasheela K R writing on the below mentioned address within 15 days from this present. Smt. Jayasheela K R, R/O. #165, Sumukha, 2nd Block, Nagarbhavi 2nd stage, Bangalore 560072, Mobile No:9900801959.
Sd/- Mr.Girish H C
Advocate,
#51, 1st Floor, Siddiahpuranik Road,
4th Stage, 4thBlock, Basveshwarnagar,
Bangalore –560079
MobileNo:7411712272
Date:06/10/2021

Judge orders Texas to suspend new abortion law

WASHINGTON

A US federal judge ordered Texas to suspend the most restrictive abortion law in the country, calling it an "offensive deprivation" of a constitutional right by banning most abortions in the nation's second-most populous state since September.

Wednesday's order by US District Judge Robert Pitman is the first legal blow to the Texas law known as Senate Bill 8, which until now had withstood a wave of early challenges. In the weeks since the restrictions took effect, Texas abortion providers say the impact has been "exactly what we feared."

But abortion services in Texas might not instantly resume even with the law on hold because doctors still fear that they could be sued without a more permanent legal decision.

Texas officials swiftly told the court of their intention to seek a reversal from the 5th US Circuit Court of Appeals, which previously allowed the restrictions to take effect. Planned Parenthood said it was hopeful the order would allow clinics to resume abortion services as soon as possible.

In a 113-page opinion, Pitman took Texas to task over the law, saying Republican lawmakers had "contrived an unprecedented and transparent statutory scheme" by leaving enforcement solely in the hands of private citizens, who are entitled to collect $10,000 in damages if they bring successful lawsuits against abortion providers who violate the restrictions.

The law, signed by Republican Governor Greg Abbott in May, prohibits abortions once cardiac activity is detected, which is usually around six weeks, before some women even know they are pregnant.

"From the moment SB 8 went into effect, women have been unlawfully prevented from exercising control over their lives in ways that are protected by the Constitution," wrote Pitman, who was appointed to the bench by former President Barack Obama. *AP*

POSSESSION NOTICE - (for immovable property) Rule 8-(1)
Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of IIFL Home Finance Limited (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.) (IIFL HFL) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, a Demand Notice was issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the borrowers / co-borrowers mentioned herein below to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of IIFL HFL for an amount as mentioned herein under with interest thereon.
"The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, If the borrower clears the dues of the "IIFL HFL" together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred, at any time before the date fixed for sale or transfer, the secured assets shall not be sold or transferred by "IIFL HFL" and no further step shall be taken by "IIFL HFL" for transfer or sale of the secured assets.

Name of the Borrower(s) Bangalore BRANCH	Description of secured asset (immovable property)	Total Outstanding Dues (Rs.)	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession
Kariappa B A and Seethamma B A (Prospect No. 871264)	All that piece and parcel of: Southern Portion of Site No.86, Property no.374(Old)New no.374/1 area admeasuring 3200 sq.ft situated at Village Kalkere K.R.Pura Hobli, Bangalore East,Bangalore, Karnataka,India..	Rs. 1,06,31,858/- (Rupees One Crore Six Lakh Thirty One Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty Eight Only)	18-Jun-2021	05-Oct-21
Mr. Kumaran S, Mrs. Lavanya Kumaran & M/s. Mani Motor Driving Training School (Prospect No. 869621, 932334 & 918826)	All that piece and parcel of: Flat No. G-101, GF area measuring 1213 sq.ft, of the Apartment Comfort Shanthi, on Property bearing M.No. 14/4, 14/4, Ward No.48, 2nd Cross, Srinivasa Colony, Lal-Bagh Road, Bangalore, 560027, Karnataka	Prospect No. 869621 Rs. 26,77,159/- (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Seventy Seven Thousand One Hundred Fifty Nine Only) Prospect No. 932334 Rs. 5,28,340/- (Rupees Five Lakh Twenty Eight Three Hundred Forty) Prospect No. 918826 Rs. 2,63,185/- (Rupees Two Lakh Sixty Three Thousand One Hundred Eighty Five Only)	23-Jun-2021	05-Oct-21
Mr. Balakrishna B C, Mrs. Lakshmamma, Mrs. S Hemalatha and M/s. Sree Apparels (Prospect No. 940476)	All that piece and parcel of: House List No. 73, area measuring 1200 sq. ft., Basavanapura Village, Khata No. 96 4, Begur Hobli, Bangalore, 560068, Karnataka	Rs. 22,59,670/- (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh Fifty Nine Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Only)	22-Jul-2021	05-Oct-21

For, further details please contact to Authorised Officer at Branch Office: "ADAM CHAMBERS," #11, Richmond Road, Bengaluru - 560025/or Corporate Office : Plot No. 98, Phase-IV, Udyog Vihar, Gurgaon, Haryana.
Place: Bangalore Dated: 08/10/2021 Sd/- Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Limited

PUBLIC NOTICE
The General Public are hereby informed that my client intend to buy the below mentioned Schedule property from Mr.D.Surendra Babu and his son Mr.D.Reddy Vinay, both are R/at No.202, phase 1st, Classic Orchards Layout, Behind Meenakshi Temple, Bannerughatta Road, Bengaluru-560076. If any person /s or Institution, Authority etc., have got any objections or claiming any right, title and interest of what so ever nature on the Schedule Property, are hereby required to communicate the same along with supporting documents to me at my Office within (10) TEN days from this day. Otherwise, the Sale transaction will be completed without any reference or regard to any such purported claim or interest, which shall be deemed to have been waived to all intents and purposes.
SCHEDULE PROPERTY
All that piece and parcel of the residential house bearing **No.452, having PID Khatha No.57-44-452**, Situated at **Sarakki 1st Phase**, 11th B Cross, 28th Main, 1st Phase, J.P.Nagar, Bengaluru-560078 measuring **East to West 12.30 Mtrs and North to South 12.20 Mtrs, in Total measuring about 150.06 Sq.Meters or 1,615 Sq. Feet**, along with the built up area of 1000 Sq.feet bounded on;
East by: Road,
West by: Property bearing No.453
North by: Road
South by: Property bearing No.473,
Address for Service:
B.T. PRASANNA KUMAR, B.Sc., L.L.B.,
Advocate
No.56, 1 Main, 6th Cross, Sudhamanagar,
Bangalore-27. Ph. 9243118157

CIA plans working group to counter China

WASHINGTON

THE CIA said on Thursday it will create a top-level working group on China as part of a broad US government effort focused on countering Beijing's influence.

The group will become one of fewer than a dozen mission centers operated by the CIA, with weekly director-level meetings intended to drive the agency's strategy toward China.

The CIA also announced that it would ramp up efforts to recruit Chinese speakers and create another mission center focusing on emerging technologies and global issues such as climate change and global health.

President Joe Biden's administration has called out what it sees as Chinese aggression on a range of security and economic issues while also seeking common ground on issues like climate change and a nuclear-armed North Korea.

Top administration officials have repeatedly signaled a shift of resources toward 'great power' competition with China while maintaining a focus on counterterrorism.

China is an especially difficult challenge for the US intelligence community given the insularity of its Communist Party leadership, its large military and security services and its development in advanced technologies that can counter spying. In a statement Thursday, CIA Director William Burns called the Chinese government "the most important geopolitical threat we face in the 21st century."

"Throughout our history, CIA has stepped up to meet whatever challenges come our way," Burns said. "And now facing our toughest geopolitical test in a new era of great power rivalry, CIA will be at the forefront of this effort."

As part of an agency reorganization, the CIA will fold mission centers on Iran and North Korea into existing groups covering each country's respective region. Both country-specific mission centers were created during President Donald Trump's administration. *AFP*

Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD			SILVER			FOREX		
488.10 ▲	Sensex	59,677.83	₹23.6 ▲	24 carat (1 gm)	₹4,691.8	₹480 ▲	Per kg	₹61,385	▲ Dollar		74.83
144.35 ▲	Nifty	17,790.35	₹23.5 ▲	22 carat (1 gm)	₹4,673.0	₹0.480 ▲	Per gm	₹61.385	▲ Euro		86.46

Opening a new chain

The first 7-Eleven store in India is set to open on October 9, in Andheri East, Mumbai

Opening of new stores would depend on the real estate availability, says 7-Eleven

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7-Eleven deal booster for Reliance in India retail biz

To open stores in India as part of master franchise agreement

SAMIKSHA GOEL @ New Delhi

SCALING its retail business further, Reliance Retail Venture Limited (RRVL) on Thursday said it would roll out 7-Eleven convenience stores in India as part of its master franchise agreement with the US chain.

The first 7-Eleven store in India is set to open on October 9, in Andheri East, Mumbai, which will be followed by "a rapid rollout in key neighbourhoods and commercial areas, across the Greater Mumbai cluster to start with", the company said.

The announcement comes after the termination of the deal between Future Retail and 7-Eleven to open small-format shops. Stores could not open as Future failed to pay franchise fees.

Reliance Retail, which was supposed to buy out Future Retail for ₹ 24,000 crore, has deferred the completion of the deal by six months after the latter got embroiled in a legal tussle with Amazon.

The tie-up with 7-Eleven gives Reliance Retail, which has been listed among the fastest-growing retailers in the world in Deloitte's Global Powers of Retailing 2021 index, an even greater dominance over the country's retail market.

According to the annual report of RIL, Reliance Retail opened 1,456 new stores (consumer electronics, fashion and lifestyle and grocery segments) in 2020-21, taking the total store count to 12,711 with operated area spanning over 33.8 million sq. ft. It is present in more than 7,000 cities and towns across India.

Compare this to Future Retail, which has pan India presence with 1,308 stores in 397 cities as of March 31 and total retail space of around 15.69 mn sq. ft. across formats.

About the number of stores that the company plans to roll out by the end of FY22, 7-Eleven said it depends on the real-estate availability.

The deal with 7-Eleven is the latest in Reliance Group's efforts to rapidly expand its retail and e-commerce businesses in order to compete with Amazon, Walmart, and Flipkart in India's nearly trillion-dollar retail market, says Kshitij Purohit, Lead Commodities and Currency, CapitalVia Global Research Limited.

Fitch cuts FY22 GDP forecast to 8.7%

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FITCH Ratings has once again cut India's economic growth forecast to 8.7% for the current fiscal from its earlier projection of 10% on account of severe second Covid wave that has delayed the recovery.

In its APAC Sovereign Credit Overview, Fitch Ratings said India's 'BBB-/Negative' sovereign rating "balances a still-strong medium-term growth outlook and external resilience from solid foreign-reserve buffers, against high public debt, a weak financial sector and some lagging structural factors".

The 'negative' outlook, it said, reflects uncertainty over the debt trajectory following the sharp deterioration in India's public finances due to the pandemic shock.

In June Fitch Ratings had cut the growth forecast from 12.8%. "In our view, however, the impact of the second wave was to delay rather than derail India's economic recovery, reflected in an upward revision of our FY23 (April 2022-March 2023) GDP forecast to 10% from 8.5% in June," it said.

It came two days after global rating agency Moody's Investors Service on Tuesday changed the outlook of Indian economy to "stable" from "negative", as the downside risks from negative feedback between the real economy and financial system are receding.

On the positive note Fitch indicated strong rebound in the second quarter of the current fiscal (April 2021-March 2022) as business activity has again returned to pre-pandemic levels.

Fitch also predicted a wider fiscal deficit.

"We forecast a 7.2% of GDP (excluding disinvestment) central government deficit in FY22," it said.

The government on June 28 this year announced a fiscal package worth about 2.7% of GDP. Much of this consists of loan guarantees, with only 0.6% of GDP in higher on budget spending.

While S&P Global Ratings lowered its growth estimate to 9.5%, another US-based rating agency Moody's has projected a 9.3% growth in the current fiscal ending March 2022. For the 2021 calendar year, Moody's has cut the growth estimate sharply to 9.6%.

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TODAY'S STOCK PICK

Current Price ₹2,155

Target Price ₹2,220

VINATI ORANICS

Management expects AOs to contribute ~25% to total sales 2-3 years down the line. A gradual ramp-up of expanded capacity over the next 3 years would drive growth for VO, with further development on product molecules currently under R&D. Despite the stated capex, we expect FCF generation of ~`10.5b over FY22-24E.

— Motilal Oswal Securities Limited

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EXPRESS READ

Employment up by 8.5 mn in September: CMIE

NEW DELHI: Employment in the country, estimated at 406.2 million in September 2021, has picked up significantly with an increase of 8.5 million jobs during the month. It is the highest in 20 months or since the Covid-19 shock in March 2020. According to data from the Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy (CMIE), while the unemployment rate declined from 8.3% in August to 6.9% in September, the employment rate inched up from 37.2% to 37.9% during the same period. The labour participation rate also witnessed an increase from 40.5% to 40.7%.

Give Zee reasonable time to reply: NCLAT to NCLT

NEW DELHI: Appellate body NCLAT on Thursday directed the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT) to give reasonable opportunity to media major Zee to reply to Invesco's plea for holding a meeting of shareholders, and also remarked that the tribunal made an "error" by not providing sufficient response time. With the order capping a day of fast legal developments at the NCLAT as well as the NCLT within a span of a little over an hour, the case will now come up for hearing before the NCLT on Friday.

Not making enough money main reason for stress at work: Survey

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NOT making enough money is one of the main reasons for stress at work, according to a survey released on Thursday. The survey also reveals that more than half of India's (55%) employed professionals are feeling stressed at work.

A special 'mental health' edition of the Workforce Confidence Index by online professional network LinkedIn has revealed that not making enough money is one of the top three reasons for stress at work. At least 32% people surveyed chose this as a reason for their stress. The other two stressors include 'balancing work with personal needs' (34%), and 'slow career advancement' (25%) as of today.

Based on the responses of 3,881 professionals from July 31 to September 24, findings suggest that keeping up with these times of change for the last 18 months has adversely affected the mental health of working professionals. At least 1 in 3 professionals are seen drawing optimism from availability of jobs (36%) and improved control over expenses (30%) in today's recovering, yet competitive jobs marketplace, the report says.

Ashutosh Gupta, India Country Manager, LinkedIn, says, "Our survey reveals a wide gap between what employees need and what employers are offering to cope with stress. While nearly half of (47%) employed professionals wish to end work at reasonable hours, only about one-thirds (36%) were actually able to do so. And while 41% planned for time-off, only 30% could take time off in the past two months," says Gupta.

Govt releases ₹40,000 crore for states, UTs

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FINANCE Ministry on Thursday released an amount of ₹40,000 crore to the states and Union Territories under the back-to-back loan facility to meet the shortfall in GST compensation.

On July 15, they had credited an amount of ₹75,000 crore to the states and UTs. "With the current release, the total amount released in the current financial year as back to back loan in-lieu of GST compensation has reached ₹1,15,000 crore. This release is in addition to normal GST compensation being released every 2 months out of actual cess collection," a finance ministry statement said.

For the current fiscal year, central government had said it would borrow ₹1.59 lakh crore and release it to states and UTs with legislatures on a back-to-back basis to meet the resource gap due to the short release of compensation on account of inadequate amount collected in the Compensation Fund. The Centre added that the balance amount will be released in due course.

"₹40,000 cr is funded from borrowings of GoI in 5-year securities, totalling ₹23,500 crore and 2-year securities for ₹16,500 crore issued in the current financial year, at a weighted average yield of 5.69 and 4.16% per annum, respectively. No additional market borrowing by the Centre is envisaged on account of this release," the statement added.

MPC MEETING

RBI UNLIKELY TO TINKER WITH KEY POLICY RATES

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THE Reserve Bank of India (RBI) is unlikely to tinker with policy rates when its committee to decide on rates sits together to take a call on interest rates on Friday. This means borrowers would continue to pay interest at record low rates, even as depositors continue to suffer.

However, the central bank may signal the end of its easy liquidity policy. The RBI's Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) on Friday is likely to maintain the status quo on policy rates for the eighth time in a row. Repo rate, or the short-term lending rate, is currently set at 4%, while the reverse repo rate is held at 3.35%. The MPC last revised rates on May 22, 2020 in an off-policy cycle to stir demand and aid growth.

The Friday meeting instead could signal liquidity normalisation, provide forward guidance towards narrowing the repo corridor, setting the ground for a reverse repo rate hike in December. The central bank might as well wind down its special scheme to purchase government securities (G-SAP).

Currently, the core liquidity surplus is about ₹12 lakh cr, while overnight liquidity surplus is ₹6.2 lakh cr.

"There can be a natural reduction in liquidity if RBI decides to use its forex reserves against any rapid rupee depreciation. Festive demand for cash could also lead to a reduction in overnight liquidity. Some fear a withdrawal of the G-SAP programme. While there's a chance for reduction in the size of the programme, a sudden pause may not be warranted," Indranil Pan, Chief Economist, Yes Bank said.

The anticipated hike in the reverse repo rate, citing the higher cut-off at the latest VRRR (variable reverse repo rate) auctions shouldn't be read as the road to rate hikes.

As Deputy Governor Dr Michael Patra has pointed out, VRRR isn't a signal for lift-off of interest rates, instead it is an attempt by RBI to keep the operative rate within the corridor on a sustained basis, before guiding for a cut in the size of the rate corridor.

Anaylsts expect repo rate is likely to regain its status. "The October policy will be the perfect window to outline its thoughts on normalisation especially since RBI will certainly want to avoid any sudden tightening," noted Suvodeep Raskhit, Senior Economist, Kotak Institutional Equities.

Auto sales slide 5% YoY in Sept 2021; down 13.5% from September 2019 level

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DESPITE a low base in FY21, overall retail auto sales (vehicle registration) in September 2021 fell over 5% year-on-year to 12,96,257 units, said Federation of Automobile Dealers Association (FADA) on Thursday. This fall is sharper at 13.5% when compared to the pre-Covid month of September 2019 (14,98,585 units).

The YoY decline in September 2021 is largely attributed to 11.5% slump in high volume two-wheelers retail sales. In September 2021, two-wheeler registration stood at 9,14,621 units as against 10,33,895 units in September 2020.

"The 2W category continues to play spoilsport as the entry level segment is yet to witness healthy growth. This segment's performance is now becoming critical for the overall 2W to come back on the path of recovery as dealer inventory rises to 30-35 days in anticipation of a good festive season. Semiconductor shortage has also started impacting the 150+ cc segment," said Vinkesh Gulati, FADA President.

ALL INDIA VEHICLE RETAIL DATA FOR SEPTEMBER'21

CATEGORY	SEP'21	SEP'20	YOY%	SEP'19	% CHG, SEP'19
2 WHEELER	9,14,621	10,33,895	-11.54%	11,64,135	-21.43%
3 WHEELER	36,612	24,262	50.90%	58,485	-37.40%
P VEHICLE	2,33,308	2,00,576	16.32%	1,78,228	30.90%
TRAC	52,896	69,462	-23.85%	38,019	39.13%
C VEHICLE	58,820	40,112	46.64%	59,718	-1.50%
LC VEHICLE	36,474	30,222	20.69%	37,340	-2.32%
MC VEHICLE	3,766	1,595	136.11%	3,455	9.00%
HC VEHICLE	14,635	5,059	189.29%	16,775	-12.76%
OTHERS	3,945	3,236	21.91%	2,148	83.66%
TOTAL	12,96,257	13,68,307	-5.27%	14,98,585	-13.50%

Source: FADA Research

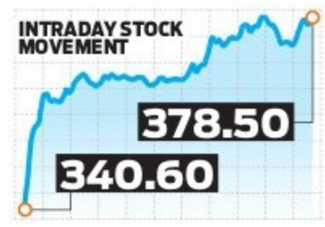
Beside two-wheelers, tractor sales plummeted by 24% Y-o-Y to 52,896 units in September 2021.

However, passenger vehicles (PV) sales, despite facing a massive semi-conductor shortage crisis, grew by over 16% Y-o-Y last month to 2,33,308 units. Commercial vehicle sales witnessed a turnaround and grew by 47% to 58,820 units.

Gulati said, "During the 1st half of this FY, while the overall retails were up by 35%, the same was down by -29% when compared to 2019, a pre-Covid year. On a long term basis, except tractors which grew by 19% and PV which has almost reached pre-Covid levels, all the other segments were in red,"

He added that as we enter the core of this year's festive season, the full blown semi-conductor crisis continues to create hindrance in PV sales as vehicle inventory at dealers end dip to record lows of 15-20 days during the current fiscal.

With high demand in this segment, long waiting periods continue to frustrate and keep enthusiastic buyers in a fix, said Gulati.



Tata Motors' stock hit 52-week high

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AFTER a sharp fall in July 2021 due to chip shortage faced by Jaguar Land Rover, Tata Motors' share is back with a bang on the stock exchanges.

The auto-major's share hit a 52-week high on Thursday to ₹383 and closed the session 12.63% higher at ₹378.50 on the NSE.

This big spike of Thursday came on speculations that the Tatas may consider taking over Ford's plant located on the outskirts of Chennai (Maraimalainagar). On Wednesday, Tata Sons Chairman N Chandrasekaran met Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin, who is believed to have invited the Chairman to discuss about taking control of the plant.

Ford had last month announced closing down its two plants in India and winding up sales operations due to massive losses. This decision of Ford has become a concern for the newly elected Tamil Nadu Government as permanent closure of of the company means loss of thousands of jobs. However, neither the Tata Group or the Tamil Nadu Government issued a statement or said anything on the speculations.

The state government has publically stated that it will help identify a buyer for the facility. Bignames such as Hyundai and Ola are already doing the rounds for this plant.

Meanwhile, Ford had recently appointed Balasundaram Radhakrishnan to the role of transformation officer, FIPL (Ford India Pvt Ltd).

Mahindra XUV700 bookings open

Mahindra & Mahindra has announced the complete variant line-up and date of booking commencement for the most awaited SUV of the year, the XUV700. The complete variant line-up aims at straddling a wide spectrum of buyers, starting at ₹11.99 lakh for the MX series and ₹13.99 lakh for the AX series.

Business & Beyond

Repco Bank offers 20% dividend for FY21

Repco Bank, a govt of India enterprise, headquartered at Chennai has published its financials for the financial year 2020-21 and has declared divided of 20% to its shareholders. Even during the pandemic hit period, the bank has exhibited well in all its parameters. The business mix of the bank stood at ₹16,269crore as of March 31, 2021. Total deposits stood at `8,926 crore with a y-o-y growth rate of 9% and total advances at ₹7,343crore recording a y-o-y growth rate of 5%, as of March 31, 2021.

Cleanliness drive at Paradip Port Trust

Observance of Swachhta Pakhwada concluded at Paradip Port on 30.09.2021. AK Bose, Dy. Chairman, PPT, gave away prizes to the winners of debate completion held among the local school children to mark the occasion. The observations concluded with a play.

Award for JSPL Foundation

JSPL Foundation, the CSR arm of leading steelmaker Jindal Steel & Power Ltd., has been honoured with the coveted Mahatma Award for its multidimensional social interventions to support the community during Covid-19. Former Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry Dr Kiran Bedi, IPS, presented the awards.

Plantation drive organised at VO Chidambaranar Port

VO Chidambaranar Port, Tuticorin, organised a plantation drive on 2nd October 2021, in commemoration of the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, the father of the Indian nation and in consonance with government of India's initiative ' Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'.

Festival of Electronics sale is back at Reliance Digital

Reliance Digital is giving everyone a new reason to celebrate with the Festival of Electronics this festive season. The sale is live from 3rd October at all Reliance Digital, My Jio Stores and on www.reliancedigital.in <http://www.reliancedigital.in.

KONKAN RAILWAY CORPORATION LTD.
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OPEN E-TENDER (TWO PACKET SYSTEM) INVITATION NOTICE
Notice No: KR/CO/EL/SP-PPP/T/9/2021, Date: 08/10/2021

Name of Work: Supply, Installation, Testing, Commissioning of ON GRID Solar Power Plant of Capacity 1160KWp (Approx) with the Objective of Generating and Supplying Solar Energy to Railway Installations through Public Private Partnership (PPP) on DBFOT (Design, Build, Finance, Operate and Transfer) basis for **25 years** at Office Building / Railway Stations and other Establishments of Konkan Railway Route in The State of Maharashtra, Goa and Karnataka. **Contract Period:** 25 Years. **Estimated Project Cost:** ₹ 8,08,99,489/-. **EMD:** NIL. **Last Date & Time for Online Submission of Tender:** 08/11/2021 up to 15.00 Hrs. **Opening of Tender:** On 08/11/2021 at 15.30 Hrs. Amendments / Corrigendum if any, would be uploaded on IREPS website only. **Submission of Tender Documents:** Through IREPS. Manual Tender Documents shall not be accepted.

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521

No.CEE/TZH/EE(C)/2021-22/8933-35 Date : 05.10.2021

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(e-Procurement Mode only)

Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited, invites Tender vide Bid Enquiry No.: KPTCL/CEE/TZH/EE(C)/2021-22/05, Dt: 04.10.2021 for **Construction of retaining wall/compound wall for 110kv sub-station land at Nandikoor in Udupi District.**

The bids will be received through **e-Procurement portal only.** The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the e-Procurement process can be obtained by logging on to website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"Tender" on or after 07.10.2021.** Other details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- **Chief Engineer (Ele),**
Transmission Zone, KPTCL, Prasarana Bhavan, 3rd Floor, Santhepete, B.M. Road, Hassan-573201.

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
DIRECTORATE OF SOCIAL WELFARE
2nd Floor, Panagal Maaligai, Saidapet, Chennai – 600 015.

TENDER NOTICE

Roc.No. 18394/ WW-1(1) / 2021 Date: 06.10.2021

Sealed Tenders are invited from the Manufacturers of gold coins and jewellery/ Dealers in gold coins who are engaged in the business of Gold Jewellery / Gold Coins, its import and export, towards the supply of 94,700 numbers (Ninety Four Thousand Seven Hundred) of 22 carat purity Gold Coins (each eight grams), to be issued to the beneficiaries under the 5 Marriage Assistance Schemes implemented by the Department of Social Welfare, Tamil Nadu State, from 08.10.2021 to 10.11.2021 upto 3.00 p.m. The Tenders will be opened on 10.11.2021 at 3.30 p.m. at the Directorate of Social Welfare, Chennai-15, by the Tender Scrutiny Committee in the presence of the Director of Social Welfare and the representatives of the tenderers who choose to be present. The Tender document with all conditions can be obtained in person on all working days from 08.10.2021 to 10.11.2021 upto 1.00 p.m. at the above address by paying document (application fee) fee of Rs.1,500/- (Rupees One Thousand Five Hundred only) in the form of Demand Draft / Bankers Cheque or by downloading the same from the website www.tenders.tn.gov.in at free of cost. An EMD of **Rs.3,78,80,000/- (Rupees Three Crores Seventy Eight lakhs and Eighty Thousand Only)** has to be remitted by means of Demand Draft drawn from any one of the Nationalised / Scheduled Bank in favour of Director of Social Welfare, Chennai-15 along with the tender in the technical bid cover.

A Pre-Bid meeting will be held on 25.10.2021 at 11.00 a.m. at the above address.

All other conditions are specified in the tender document.

DIPR/2888/TENDER/2021 Director of Social Welfare

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ಇ-ಟೆಂಡರ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

ಮಹಾತ್ಮಾ ಗಾಂಧಿ ನಗರ ವಿಕಾಸ ಯೋಜನೆ (MGNVY) ಅನುದಾನ, ಸನ್ 2018-19ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನದ + ಎಮ್ ಎಲ್ ಎ ಅನುದಾನದ, ಸನ್ 2020-21 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಮಲೆನಾಡು ಪ್ರದೇಶ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಮಂಡಳಿ + ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನದ, ಸನ್ 2020-21 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ-ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನ, ಸನ್ 2021-22 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ 15 ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಯೋಜನೆ (ಜಿಬಿಜಿ) ಅನುದಾನದ ಅನುದಾನದಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಅಧ್ಯಾದೇಶ 1999-2000ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ ಬಿಡ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯೂಮೆಂಟ್ ನಿಯಮದನ್ವಯ PWD/CPWD/HDMC/ ಇತರೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತರಾದ 1ನೇ, 2ನೇ ದರ್ಜೆ ಮತ್ತು 3ನೇ ದರ್ಜೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಮೇಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಟೆಂಡರನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು.

ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿ, ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಪಂಗಡ ಹಾಗೂ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ವರ್ಗದ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಗೆ ಮೀಸಲಿಟ್ಟ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಇ.ಸಂ **115238(Gen),110676(Gen),112252(Gen), 115219(Gen),114536(Gen),110260(Gen),116627(Gen),116433(Gen), 114948(Gen),116004(Gen),116008(Gen),117948(ST),120596(Gen), 120932(Gen),120953(Gen),120008(Gen),120699(Gen),120961(Gen), 120955(Gen),120981(Gen),120983(Gen),120982(Gen),120463(Gen), 120465(SC),120149(Gen),120138(Gen),120144(SC),120466(ST), 120461(Gen),120474(Gen),120464(Gen),108514(Gen), 112181(Gen),** ಒಟ್ಟು **33 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. 2552.67 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಿಗೆ** ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರಕಾರದ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ ಮೂಲಕ ದಿ. **07-10-2021** ರಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಕಾರಣಗಳಿಂದ ಸದರ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯಾದಲ್ಲಿ, ಸದರಿ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಇ-ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತ್ರ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಬೇಕಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು ಧಾರವಾಡ ಕಛೇರಿಯ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 0836-2213838 ರಿಂದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು ಮತ್ತು ಅಂತರ್ಜಾಲದ ಮೂಲಕ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ವಿಳಾಸ http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

ಮೇಲೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ
1) ಟೆಂಡರ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30/10/2021 ಸಂಜೆ 4.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ
2) ಟೆಂಡರ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 02/11/2021 ಸಂಜೆ 4.30 ಗಂಟೆ
3) ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ಡ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10/11/2021 ಸಂಜೆ 4.35 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ

ಸಹಿ/- ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರ ಕಛೇರಿ
ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ-ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ, ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ/ಧಾ/587/2021-22/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of the Executive Engineer,
Yelahanka Division, Yelahanka Zone, Bengaluru - 560064.

No: BBMP/YNK-D/EE/E-PMT-11/2021-22 Date: 07-10-2021

INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT) - SHORT TERM
(Two Cover System) (Through GOK e-Procurement Portal only)

The Executive Engineer (Yelahanka Division), Yelahanka Zone, BBMP invites tenders from eligible contractors registered in BBMP / KPWD / Electrical / CPWD / Railways / MES / National Highway or any State Government Organizations for the works detailed below.

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Approximate Value of Work (Rs. in Lakhs)
1	Consultancy Service for Detailed Project Report, Field Survey, General Report, Basic Drawing, Technical Report, Detailed Drawing, Detailed Cost Estimate for Improvements of Roads, Development of Parks and Construction of Buildings in Ward No. 01, 02, 03, and 04 of Yelahanka Division Under 2021-22 District Minister Grants. **(Package No.15) Estimation Cost: 970.00 Lakhs.**	**9.70**
2	Consultancy Service for Detailed Project Report, Field Survey, General Report, Basic Drawing, Technical Report, Detailed Drawing, Detailed Cost Estimate for Augmentation of Water Supply through Borewell, Network of Pipeline and Ground Water Recharge Facilities in various Layout of Harohalli, Nagenahalli, Kenchenahalli, Ananthapura, Doddabettahalli and Chikkabettahalli Village Limits in Ward No. 02 & 03 of Yelahanka Division. **(Package No.16) Estimation Cost: 420.00 Lakhs.**	**4.00**

EMD: Declaration to be submitted as per Govt. Order No. FD/675/expe-12/2020, Bangalore Dated: 22-12-2020

Calendar of Events: **1)** Tender documents can be downloaded from the GOK e-Procurement portal Website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in from 08-10-2021. 2)** Date of Pre-Bid Meeting at the **Office of Exective Engineer (Yelahanka Division) on 11-10-2021 at 16.00 Hrs. 2)** Tenders must be submitted online through e-Procurement Portal **on or before 16.00 Hrs. on 19-10-2021 3)** Technical Bids will be Opened at the **Office of Executive Engineer (Yelahanka Division) on 21-10-2021 at 16.00 Hrs.** Further details can be had from the above office. **Sd/- Executive Engineer, Yelahanka Division, BBMP.**

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E-Procurement Notice

Tender notification No: CPMPT-22, 29 /2021-22 of APCPDCL/CGM (P&MM) Dt: 08-10-2021

APCPDCL invites online bids under e-procurement for supply of i) CPMPT-22/2021-22: Supply of LT XLPE Single Core Cable 70 Sq.mm – 80 Kms, LT XLPE Single Core Cable 95 Sq.mm – 80 Kms & LT 3.5 Core 120 sq.mm XLPE UV Resistant Cable – 80 Kms ii) CPMPT-29 /2021-22: Supply of 11KV CTPT Metering Set 10/5A (Outdoor) – 1150 Nos, 11KV Both sides cable entry CTPT Metering Set 10/5A (Indoor) – 440Nos, 11KV Both sides cable entry CTPT Metering Set 20/5A (Indoor) – 230Nos, 33KV CTs 400-200-100/1-1-1A class 0.2s accuracy – 15Nos, 33KV CTs 400-200-100/1-1A class 0.2s accuracy – 15 Nos.

Tenderers can have further details and download the tender schedules from e-Procurement marketplace from 08-10-2021 i.e., https://tender.apeprocurement.gov.in (published by APCPDCL). Ph: 0866 2955455 & Email:cgmpmm.cpdcl@apcpdcl.in.

CHIEF GENERAL MANAGER (P&MM)
APCPDCL :: VIJAYAWADA

IN THE COURT OF THE 15th CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BANGALURE CITY

C.MIS. 4129/2021

BETWEEN: SUMA G, W/o. SHIVA KUMAR, age 38 years, No.04 J.P. Nagar 9th Phase, 8th Block, Raagavanpalya, Gottigere, Bangalore-560083. **MINORS** Represented by **NATURAL GUARDIAN** Mother.. **1. S. YASHAS** S/o. SUMA G AND Late SHIVA KUMAR, age 15 years, No. 04, J.P. Nagar 9th Phase, 6th Block Raagavanpalya, Gottigere, Bangalore-560083. **2. S. VISHWAS** S/o SUMA G AND Late SHIVA KUMAR, Age 12 years, No. 04 J.P. Nagar 9th phase 8th Block, Raagavanpalya Gottigere, Bangalore-560083. **...PETITIONER**

AND : THE REGISTRAR OF BIRTH AND DEATHS, Office of the Commissioner, BBMP, Bangalore. ...RESPONDENT

PAPER PUBLICATION / PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the above named petitioner have made Petition this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Birth & Death Registration Act, for the Grant of death Certificate of petitioner's Husband in favour of the Petitioner in respect of Death of Deceased **SHIVA KUMAR S/o Late RAMA KRISHNA AND Late GOWRAMMA was died on 18.01.2012** at No. 04, J.P. Nagar, 9th Phase, 8th Block, Raagavan Palya, Gottigere, Bangalore - 560 083.

Interested Parties are hereby called to appear in this Hon'ble court in person or by the Pleader duly instructed **on 09.11.2021 at about 11.00 A.M** informed to show cause against the petitioners failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declare as Ex-parte, the same is yet to be published in English Daily Newspaper.

Given under my hand and Seal of the court this 07.10.2021.

By Order of the Court, Sheristedar, 15th ACMM, Bengaluru
Advocate for Petitioner : **Vinutha .A, M.** 8880549113

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that our Client, Mr. Dhaval Morakhia, son of **Mr. Jitendra Kumar Chimanlal Morakhia,** is the absolute owner of the Site No.8, Bilvaradahalli Village, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, morefully described in the Schedule hereunder. Our client has lost in transit the two original Sale Deeds viz., (i) Absolute Sale Deed dated 12/09/2014 executed in favour of Mr.Syed Eyenul Hassan, vide Reg. No.JGN-1-07396-2011-12 and (ii) Absolute Sale Deed dated 12/09/2014 in favour of Mr. Dhaval Morakhia vide Reg. No.CMP-1-04481-2014-15. The general public, be notified that any transactions made without the knowledge of our client, Mr. Dhaval Morakhia, the true and lawful owner, will not bind our client and the persons entering into such transactions will be doing so at their own risks and costs. In case any persons find the above original documents, the same may be forwarded to the undersigned.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Site No.8, Khatha No.35, Khaneshumari No.819, formed in Converted Sy. No.35 (vide Order No. B.Dis. ALN.BR.888/1970-71, dated 08/10/1970, issued by Assistant Commissioner, Doddaballapur Sub Division, Bangalore and Tahsildar Order No. ALN.BR.33/1970-71, dated 10/09/1971, dated 10/09/1971), Bilvaradahalli Village, Bannerghatta Village Panchayath, Jigani Hobli Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, measuring East to West 74 Feet and North to South 100 Feet, totally measuring 7400 Sq. Feet and bounded on: **East by :** Site No.9, **West by:** Site No.7, **North by :** Site No.4, **South by :**Road.

R. PURUSHOTHAM, Advocate, RPM Associates, #7, I Floor, Jayashree Building, Yamunabai Road, Madhavnagar, Bangalore-560001 PH: **9980200300**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public is hereby informed that my client is intending to purchase the property described in the schedule hereunder from its owner **Sri. C. B. Krishna Rao.** S/o. Late. Sri. C. Bheema Rao, Residing at No. 102, Sri Mookambika, 60 Feet Road, Near Vasantha Vallabha Temple, Yadalam Nagara, Subramanyapura, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru - 560061. Any person/s having any claim over the schedule property may lodge his/her/their objections or claims in writing with all documentary evidence with regard to such claims, to the undersigned within 10 days hereof, failing which my client will proceed to complete the purchase. Any objections/claims received thereafter will not be entertained and not binding upon my clients.

||SCHEDULE PROEPRTY||

All that piece and parcel of immovable House Property bearing Site No.695 in the Private Layout of Kempegowda Gruhanirmana Sahakara Sangha Ltd., Bengaluru in Sy No.101/1, 101/3, 102, 105/2 and 107/3 at Kathariguppe Village (BSK III Stage), Bengaluru South, presently comes within the limits of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Srinivasanagar Ward No.54, East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet totally measuring 2400 sq ft, Municipal No. New 695, Kempegowda HBCS Khatriguppe, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru PID No.54-302-695 and bounded on the East by : Site No.696, West by : Site No.694, North by : Site No.706, South by : Road, Together with 1000 square feet of Residential House with all civic amenities like electricity, water and sanitary connections.

Prasanna Simha H.K, Advocate,
No. 1060, 1st Floor, 5th Cross 12th Main Road, Raghavendra Block, Srinagara, Bengaluru – 560 050.
Mob: 98454 66920 / 99455 35033.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients intends to purchase the Property described in Schedule hereunder and hereinafter referred as Schedule Property from its owners **MRS. SUKUNDAMMA,** wife of Muniyappa, MR. SHEKAR M., son of Mr. Muniyappa and others, residing at No. 885,Near Biocon, Hebbagodi, Balaji Nagara, Kammasandra, Electronic City, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore – 560 100 and **MR. KRISHNAPPA,** son of Muniyappa and others, residing at Hebbagodi Village, Hebbagodi Post, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District

Claims, Objections if any for the proposed transaction of sale may be lodged with documentary proof-evidence with the undersigned within 7 days from this date, failing which it shall be presumed that nobody has got any claim over the Schedule Property and my client shall proceed to finalize the transaction.

SCHEDULE

ITEM-I :
All that piece and parcel of immovable Property being land measuring 17 feet X 145 feet thus totally measuring 2465 Sq. Ft., formed out of land bearing Sy. No.3/4, measuring 9.5 Guntas along with building consisting of four floors thereon, situated at Hebbagodi Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and bounded on the: East by : Property of Krishnappa, West by : Property of Narayanappa, North by : Property of Nagappa, South by : Hebbagodi Main Road

ITEM-II :
All that piece and parcel of immovable Property being land measuring 17 feet X 145 feet thus totally measuring 2465 Sq. Ft., formed out of land bearing Sy. No.3/4, measuring 9.5 Guntas along with building consisting of four floors thereon, situated at Hebbagodi Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and bounded on the: East by : Property of Shanthamma, West by : Property of Sukundamma, North by : Property of Nagappa, South by : Hebbagodi Main Road

Baptist D'Souza, B.Com., LL.B., Advocate,No. 15/36, 1st Floor, 3rd Cross, Victoria Layout, Bangalore – 560 047
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APPENDIX- IV A
[See proviso to Rule 8 (6) & 9(1)]
E-AUCTION ON 25.10.2021
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties (excluding movables, if any, laying in the premises) under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) & 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and the Borrower/Mortgagor in particular that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India, Bengaluru, the constructive possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on **25.10.2021** for recovery of **Rs.1,95,77,081/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety Five Lakh Seventy Seven Thousand Eighty One Only) as on 05.10.2021 and further interest at contractual rate from 06.10.2021** with incidental expenses + costs, charges etc., due to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India from the **Borrower: Sri. Manoj Paul, S/o Sri. Jacob Paul,** Unit No.301, Court Felicidad Condoninium, Wack Wack Green Hills, Mandaluyong, Phillippines – Code 1550 **Also at:** (i) Chempalakunnil House, Narikal P.O., Punalur – 591516, Quilon Dist. Kerala and (ii) ALLBOUT People Services & Trading Corp., Rizz Building, 1059, Metropolitan Avenue, Makati City, Metro Manila– Code 1200, Phillippines. (iii) INTL Marketing, EWPCI Unit, 502-503, Executive building, GIL PUYAT AVE CORE, Makati Ave, Makati city Metro Manila– Code 1200, Phillippines. (For HL A/c Nos.37004963033,37005285839 & 37014638047).

The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposit (EMD), bid increment amount and last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents for immovable property to be sold will be as under:

Property No	Reserve Price in Rs. (Below which properties will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount(Rs)	Time of e-auction of proprty	Last date for Submission of EMD along with KYC Documents
1.	Rs.31,00,000/-	Rs.3,10,000/-	Rs.50,000/-	11:30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m	On or before **21.10.2021** up to 4.00 P.M.
2.	Rs.31,00,000/-	Rs.3,10,000/-	Rs.50,000/-	1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m	On or before **21.10.2021** upto 4.00 P.M.
3.	Rs.31,00,000/-	Rs.3,10,000/-	Rs.50,000/-	3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	On or before **21.10.2021** upto 4.00 P.M.

DESCRIPTION OF MOVABLE & IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

TENDER No. SBI/SARB/5646/2021-22/656:

Property No.(1): SCHEDULE – 'A' PROPERTY (ENTIRE PROPERTY)
All that piece and parcel of the Residential converted Property bearing New Sy. No.58/4 (Old Sy. No.58/1), measuring 35 guntas, 58/2 (Old Sy. No.58/2) measuring 18 Guntas and New Sy. No.58/3 (Old Sy. No.58/2) measuring 36 Guntas in all measuring 2 Acres 9 Guntas converted for non -agricultural Residential Purpose and remaining 6 guntas in Sy. No. 58/2 converted for non agricultural commercial puropse in all measuring 2 Acres 15 Guntas (Approximately measuring 1,03,455 Sq. feet) vide conversion Order bearing No.ALN(DK)SR/127/2012-13 dated 05.07.2013 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru Rural District, situated at Devanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk now Division No.3, Devanahalli Town and bounded on: East by: Property bearing Survey No.59, West by : Property bearing Survey No.58/1, North by :National Highway No.207, South by: Property bearing No.57.

SCHEDULE – 'B' PROPERTY : (Description of the undivided share hereby conveyed)
424 Sq. feet of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule – 'A' Property (out of residentially converted property)

SCHEDULE – 'C' PROPERTY : (Description of the Apartment hereby conveyed)
All that piece and parcel of the Residential **3 BHK** Flat/Apartment bearing No.**G5**, **'B' Block** on the **Ground Floor** of the building known as **'BIJITH KRUPA',** Constructed in the Schedule – 'A' Property, having a **Super built up area of 1414 Sq. feet** together with all the civic amenites along with right over the proportionate common areas and facilities attributable thereto of the apartment building and **one covered Car Parking space** in the Basement Floor, standing in the name of Sri. Manoj Paul, S/o Sri. Jacob Paul, vide Sale Deed dated 19.07.2017 and Registered as Document No.DNH-1-03379/2017-18 and stored in CD No.DNHD644 on 19.07.2017 at SRO, Devanahalli, Bengaluru.

TENDER No. SBI/SARB/5646/2021-22/657:

Property No.(2): SCHEDULE – 'A' PROPERTY: Same as mentioned above in Property No.(1)

SCHEDULE – 'B' PROPERTY : (Description of the undivided share hereby conveyed)
424 Sq. feet of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule – 'A' Property (out of residentially converted property)

SCHEDULE – 'C' PROPERTY : (Description of the Apartment hereby conveyed)
All that piece and parcel of the Residential 3 BHK Flat/Apartment bearing No.**205**, **'B' Block** on the **Second Floor** of the building known as **'BIJITH KRUPA',** Constructed in the Schedule – 'A' Property, having a **Super built up area of 1414 Sq. feet** together with all the civic amenites along with right over the proportionate common areas and facilities attributable thereto of the apartment building and **one covered Car Parking space** in the Basement Floor, standing in the name of Sri. Manoj Paul, S/o Sri. Jacob Paul, vide Sale Deed dated 12.07.2017 and Registered as Document No.DNH-1-03210/2017-18 and stored in CD No.DNHD644 on 13.07.2017 at SRO, Devanahalli, Bengaluru.

TENDER No. SBI/SARB/5646/2021-22/658:

Property No.(3): SCHEDULE – 'A' PROPERTY: Same as mentioned above in Property No.(1)

SCHEDULE – 'B' PROPERTY : (Description of the undivided share hereby conveyed)
424 Sq. feet of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule – 'A' Property (out of residentially converted property)

SCHEDULE – 'C' PROPERTY : (Description of the Apartment hereby conveyed)
All that piece and parcel of the Residential 3BHK Flat/Apartment bearing No.305, 'B' Block on the Third Floor of the building known as 'BIJITH KRUPA', Constructed in the Schedule – 'A' Property, having a Super built up area of **1414 Sq. feet** together with all the civic amenites along with right over the proportionate common areas and facilities attributable thereto of the apartment building and one covered Car Parking space in the Basement Floor, standing in the name of Sri. Manoj Paul, S/o Sri. Jacob Paul, vide Sale Deed dated 12.07.2017 and Registered as Document No. DNH-1-03209/2017-18 and stored in CD No.DNHD644 on 13.07.2017 at SRO, Devanahalli, Bengaluru.

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE (2ND AUCTION) UNDER "SARFAESI" ACT.2002.

The Borrower/Mortgagor is hereby noticed to pay the sum mentioned above within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice failing which the Bank shall sell the properties as per the provisions laid down in the SARFAESI ACT, 2002.

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Date: 07.10.2021
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-
(Pranava A.)
Authorized Officer

PARADIP PORT TRUST

No.:EM/MM/P/IOHP/34/2020/2109TDR2/147 Dated 07.10.2021

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Sandeep Kamath and Parvathi Shenoy
MIG-8 first floor, 2nd Cross, 3rd Stage, Kuvempunagar, Mysuru 570023.
Mobile No: 8861886768

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public is hereby notified that my client intends to purchase the schedule immovable property from **Mr. NARESHA.R. BHAT** Son of Late Ramachandra Bhat, residing at No.5, 1st Floor, 8th Cross, J.S.Nagara, Saraswathipuram Main Road, Nandini Layout, Bengaluru- 560096.

Any person having any right, title and interest whatsoever in the schedule property may submit his/her/their objections with supporting documents with the undersigned within **10 days** from the date of this publication failing which my client would proceed and finalize the transaction with the above said person.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the site bearing **No.203/A old No.6 & 7** measuring East to West 50 feet and North to South 60 feet totally measuring 3000 Sq feet, comes under BBMP Ward No.34, carved out of Sy No.10/3 situated at **Further extension of Matadahalli, Gangenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District,** bounded on:
East by : Property bearing Site No.178/A and 178/B, **West by : Road, North by :** Property bearing Site No.203, **South by :** Property bearing Site No.204.

Milan .K.A, Advocate
No.6/1,Yashoda Nagara, Opposite Jakkur Aero Drome, Bellary Road, Bengaluru - 560 064. Mob: 9900699788.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
CHANGE OF NAME

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VIDYA VENUGOPAL HARIBAL** resident of No-158, 2nd Floor, 10th Main Road, Srinagar, BSK 1st Stage, Bangalore-560050, have changed my name from **Vidya** to **"VIDYA VENUGOPAL HARIBAL"** vide affidavit dated 07.08.2021 sworn before notary S.Subashini, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **A.P. PRAKASH,** S/o Late Papaiah, aged about 49 years, R/at. No. 63, 2nd Floor, 4th Cross, Munigurappa Layout, Amruthahalli, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru - 560 092, have changed my minor daughter's name from **BINDUSHREE .P** to **JANANI .P,** hereafter she will be known and called as **JANANI .P** only, vide affidavit dated 07.10.2021, sworn before Prakash .C, Advocate & Notary, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SURESH SUNKADA** Son of Irappa, aged about 43 years, residing at No. 21, 1st Floor, 5th Cross, Vinayaka Nagar, Medahalli, Virgonagar Post, Bangalore - 560 049, have changed my minor son's name from **DESAI GOUDA SUNKAD** to **DESAI GOUDA NINGANA GOUDA GUDADAPPANAVAR** vide affidavit dated 07.10.2021 sworn before R. Sulakshana, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **MANOJ KUMAR BEHERA,** S/o. Upendra Behera, Aged about 38 years, Residing at Barado Street, Patapur Landmark, Patapur PO, Barado Town, Cuttack District, Odisha State - 754 202, Presently residing at Opp. Girls High School, Shanthinagar, Devanahalli Town, Bengaluru Rural District - 562 110, hereby declare and affirm that, my Original name is **MANOJ KUMAR BEHERA** and my date of birth **21/06/1983** and my father's name is **UPENDRA BEHERA** and the same is entered in my Aadhar Card and Pan Card, but in my P.F. No. GJNRD0027381000/09473, UAN No. 100748438043, It is wrongly mentioned my name, my father's name and my date of birth as **MANOJ KUMAR BEHERA CHIKKAPPA S/o. CHIKKAPPA** and date of birth **10/05/2016.** vide affidavit dated 07.10.2021 sworn to before T. Narayanaswamy, Advocate & Notary, Devanahalli, Bengaluru Rural.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **K. KESHAVARATHNAM** S/o. K. Balakrishna, aged about 53 years, residing at No. 1/15, 6th Main, Nagavalli Temple, A.K. Colony, Domlur, Bangalore - 560 071, hereby declare that my name mentioned as **K. KESHAVARATHNAM** in Union Bank of India, Aadhar Card, Election ID, Pan Card and my Transfer Certificate my name mentioned as **KANDI KESAVARATHNAM,** and my BCBS School Records my name mentioned as **RATHNAM K K** Now I have changed my name from to **RATHNAM K K** alias **KESAVARATHNAM** to **K. KESHAVARATHNAM** vide affidavit dated 07.10.2021 sworn before Vani G.K., Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mrs. HARINI IYER / HARINI SUNDER IYER** W/o. Ramakrishna Prasad Sundaresan, aged about 31 years, R/o. 685, 5th Main, 6th cross, HAL 3rd stage Bengaluru-75 have changed my name to **HARINI PRASAD,** hereafter I shall be known and called as **HARINI PRASAD** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 24/9/2021 before Advocate and notary **K.V. Mani** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
We, **MANJUNATH GOVINDA REDDY** (Father) and **Mrs. GEETHA (Mother),** residing at Balagere Village, Varthur Post, Bangalore-560 087, do hereby declare that we have changed our minor daughter's name from **DHIYA MANJUNATH REDDY** to **HETIKA MANJUNATH REDDY,** hereafter she shall be known and called as **HETIKA MANJUNATH REDDY** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 5th October 2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **MEER HASSAN** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SARITHA ARYAN,** D/o Mr. E.A. Aryan, age 46 years, r/at No. C-201, Sahana Apartment, SSSIHMS, EPIP Area, Whitefield, bangalore-560 066 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SARITHA** to **SARITHA ARYAN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SARITHA ARYAN** only, vide affidavit dated 7th October 2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **Gangaraju B.N.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LIGI SONY,** W/o Mr. Sony Sebastian, aged about 45 years, residing at 'Maliyeckal', No. 9, 5th Cross, Dayananda Layout, R.M. Nagar, Bangalore-560 016, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **LIGIMOL JOY** to **LIGI SONY,** hereafter I shall be known and called as **LIGI SONY** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 7th October 2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **Gangaraju B.N.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PADME GOWDA P.N.,** S/o Sri Ninge Gowda, age 45 years, R/at No. 24, 8th Cross, 1st D Main, Kalkere Main Road, Sir M V Nagar, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bengaluru-560 016 do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **KANCHANA P** to **KANCHANA GOWDA P.,** hereafter she shall be known and called as **KANCHANA GOWDA P.** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 7th October 2021, sworn before Advocate and Notary **R. SULAKSHANA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Ramasubramaniam B,** aged about 47 years R/at Villa No. 120, Adarsh Palm Retreat, 5th Lane, Devarabeesanahalli, Varthur Post, Bangalore - 560 103, have changed my Daughter's name Vishali Ramasubramanian to **VISHALI RAMASUBRAMANIAM** I have sworn to an affidavit dated 07.10.2021 before Advocate and Notary Ravi, Bangalore, confirming the said fact.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Ramasubramaniam B,** aged about 47 years R/at Villa No. 120, Adarsh Palm Retreat, 5th Lane, Devarabeesanahalli, Varthur Post, Bangalore - 560 103, have changed my Daughter's name Indira Ramasubramanian to **INDIRA RAMASUBRAMANIAM** I have sworn to an affidavit dated 07.10.2021 before Advocate and Notary Ravi, Bangalore, confirming the said fact.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, MISS. POOJA DEVI, Spouse of No.13625581L, Rank, Hav Harish chandra Joshi R/o N, 42/10 TV Tower JC Nagar, Bangalore-560006 have changed my name from **MISS. POOJA DEVI** to **POOJA JOSHI** vide affifdavid No. IN-KA21509988255133T Dated 04/10/2021 sworn before Notary Sivakumara.M.N., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Sri. GOPIKRISHNA PASUPULATI, alias GOPIKRISHNA PASUPILATI, alias GOPIKRISHNA P., Alias GOPIKRISHNA PASUPILAJI,** aged about 44 years, S/o Sri. Deenadayalan Pasupulati, R/at Present No.D-603, Shriram Sahaana Apartments, 1st Cross Street, Suryavamshi Layout, Opposite To BMSIT Engineering College Nagenahalli, Yelahanka, Horahalli, Singanayakanahalli, Bengaluru-560064, Previous R/at Flat No. 687/10, SF-B, Multi Meridian Apartment, HMT Layout, CBI Road, Ganganagar, RT Nagar, Bangalore-560032. above mentioned all the names represent my name only, vide affidavit dated: 07.10.2021 Sworn before notary T.C.Thimmaraja, Advocate, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **GURUNATHA MAHADEV SALIMANI,** aged 31 years, S/o Mahadev, R/at. NA-428, BEL Colony, Near Nandini Parlour, Jalahalli, Bangalore - 560013. I have changed my name from **'GURUNATHA MAHADEV SALIMANI'** to **'GURUNATH SALIMANI',** vide affidavit dated: 06.10.2021 Sworn before notary ARUNA.V, Advocate, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHEEBA NASIR** W/o. Abdul Nasir, aged about 49 Years, R/at No.72, 2nd Cross, Lakshmi Layout, Arekere, B.G.Road, Bangalore - 560076. have changed my name from **SABAH NASIR SHEEBA TO SHEEBA NASIR,** Vide affidavit dated : 07/10/2021. Sworn to before Notary **NEHA BADDI.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **STEEVAN PREM KUMAR,** S/o Late Lavy Bangere, Aged about 43 years, R/at No #283, "Prem", 1st Cross, Behind Mantry Alphyne, BSK 5th Stage, Uttarahalli-Kengeri Main Road, Subramanyapura Post, Bangalore - 560061, have changed my daughter name from **SHANNON THEDOSIA PREM KUMAR TO SHANON PREM TADOSSIA ,** Vide affidavit dated :04/10/2021 Sworn to before Notary **PRAKASH. C.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MOHAMMED SADIQ** S/o Chandrappa, Aged about 37 years, R/at No 9th Block, C.P.Colony, Jayanagar East, Bangalore South, Bangalore - 69. Karnataka , have changed my name from **"SURESH TO MOHAMMED SADIQ",** vide affidavit dated 07/10/2021. Sworn to before Notary **NEHA BADDI.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, RAJUL DIXIT, S/O. Mr. S. K. Dixit, Resident At H28-0803, Sandeep Vihar, Whitefield - Hoskote Road, Kannamangala, Bangalore - 560067, Karnataka, India, Have Changed My Minor Son's Name From AARAV DIXIT (DOB: 09-Aug-2016) To RAGHAV DIXIT For All Purposes vide Affidavit Dated: 07-Oct-2021 before the Notary J. Anand Kumar, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Aishwarya RajayKumar, D/o, RajayKumar Chandrakanth, B-506, Gopalan Atlantis, ECC Road, Opp. Deens Academy School, Whitefield, Bengaluru-560066, Karnataka have changed my name to
Aishwarya Rajay Iyer
Vide affidavit dated 02.10.2021 sworn to before Notary K.B. Sadhashivappa, Bengaluru

DECLARATION
I, SERVICE NO 15334748Y HAV LAKHAN, OF UNIT 421 FD COY, 7 ENGR REGT, C/O 99 APO, PIN : 914007, have changed my wife name **MEENA** DOB from **01.07.1984** to **21.08.1984** AND Father name **HAMIDA** DOB from **01.07.1948** to **01.01.1944** vide affidavit Dated 05.10.2021 sworn before Notary S.I.Balaguru Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, NEETA, SPOUSE of No JC – 312217P SUB Premkumar .L. Kutale Residing at Vill & Po : Bekkinkere, Taluk & Dist : Belagavi, State : Karnataka, PIN : 591128, have changed my name from **NEETA** to **GEETA PREMKUMAR KUTALE** vide affidavit Dated 05.10.2021 sworn before Notary S.I. Balaguru Bangalore.

ANNOUNCEMENT
I, No:8037145A, TS/NK (GD), VARUN SUJAI A, R/at No.8, N.T. Block, 1st Division, Near Oorgaum Railway Station, Oorgaum, K.G.F, Bangarapet, Kolar -563120, Karnataka, I state that in my service record my FATHER's name is wrongly mentioned as **ANTHLOUIS** instead of his correct name is **ANTHU LOUIS A,** his Date of Birth **10/06/1956** vide affidavit dated 07.10.2021 before notary K V MANI, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) NUSRATH JAHAN, residing at No. 2/1, 'D' Street, Thimmaiah Road Cross, Bharathinagar, Bangalore-560001, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) NUSRATH JAHAN** to **(NEW NAME) NUSRA JANH** vide affidavit Dated 08/10/2021 sworn before Notary N.Nagappa, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) SYED ABDUL RAHMAN, residing at No. 12, Slaughter House Road, 'E' Street Thimmaiah Road Cross, Bangalore-560051, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) SYED ABDUL RAHMAN** to **(NEW NAME) SYED ABDUL REHMAN** vide affidavit Dated 07/10/2021 sworn before Notary A.R.Muneer Ahmed, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) NASIR ABDUL BASHEER, S/o. Abdul Basheer, residing at No. 150/1, Rajendra Nagar, 1st Main, 1st Cross, Koramangala, Bangalore-560095, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) NASIR ABDUL BASHEER** to **(NEW NAME) NASIR** vide affidavit Dated 07/10/2021 sworn before Notary D.S.Chandrakanth, Bangalore.

QuoteExpress

PROBLEMS ARE NOT STOP SIGNS, THEY ARE GUIDELINES

ROBERT H SCHULLER

Unsure if I will be playing next year: Dhoni

MS Dhoni has no doubt that he would be seen in yellow even in 2022 but at this point, he does not know whether that would be as a player as there is no clarity yet on retention policy. Well, you can see me in yellow next year. But whether I will be playing for CSK? There are a lot of uncertainties around it for a simple reason that we have two new teams coming up," he said.

MALIK'S FORM OF EXPRESS-SION

Tearaway quick, a sought-after bowler in his teens, has excited so far in his brief showings for Sunrisers Hyderabad

VENKATA KRISHNA B AND FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

150 KMPH. 151.9 kmph, 153 kmph. In a league where Lockie Ferguson, Anrich Norjte, Kagiso Rabada and Adam Milne are around, it is Umran Malik, the 21-year-old fast bowler from Jammu & Kashmir who has recorded the fastest ball of the tournament. Net bowlers going on to get a chance in the first XI has been a common theme since the pandemic, but for Umran, who was bowling with tape balls and playing tennis ball cricket in Srinagar only a couple of years ago, this has been quite a journey. Not to mention he has just played one match for his state side at the senior level.

Growing up in an environment where there wasn't infrastructure to pursue cricket, he was fortunate that in Abdul Rashid Malik, he had a father, who allowed him to pursue what he wanted. "After two daughters, I always wanted a boy. We were blessed with a baby boy almost 12 years after my second daughter so everyone loves him a lot," senior Malik says recollecting the days where he would come home only to find Umran bowling at his two sisters, Shehnaz and Saima, and mother, Seema "He wouldn't even allow them to have food or prepare. He never touched the bat... all that he did was bowl, bowl and bowl."

When opportunity allowed him to play outdoors, Umran, who spent a lot of time indoors growing up, was a sought-out bowler. He even travelled to Punjab and Delhi to feature in tennis-ball tournaments. "He always had pace," says Muneeb Munaf, who has played age-group cricket among others with and against Umran. "But, he was not like this. He has changed a lot in the recent times for the good. Earlier, he used to jump high and was wayward. So we (batsmen) knew he would bowl at least one bad ball per over. So it was a big surprise for us to see him bowl this well in the IPL. He has definitely worked hard and we are already fretting at just the thought of playing him in the nets," adds Muneeb.

SRH's Umran Malik (L) with senior pacer Bhuvneshwar Kumar | SPORTZPICS

While his bowling and hard-work have been praised by the Sunrisers management, Muneeb says there have been days many of them feared he wouldn't realise his talent: speed. Although it came naturally to him, thanks to his quick action, Muneeb says playing in tape ball cricket has helped him a great deal.

"He is even more quicker in tape ball. Here we play one vs one game. Just batsman and the bowler. And imagine him bowling yorkers at that pace. It was nightmare for batsmen. Some people even used to place bets up to ₹1 lakh on Umran winning one vs one contests. Only thing lot of us used to tell him was to take cricket seriously. He was too playful and wouldn't even go to gym. We are just happy he is doing it now."

The first big turn around in his career came three years ago when Umran went for a trial camp overseen by former India all-rounder Irfan Pathan, who was player-mentor for Jammu & Kashmir. There were two things that Pathan still remembers that stood out about Umran. "One his pace and the other, his jump.

He has a beautiful action and has good alignment at the top, his arms are closer to the body. But the only issue was he used to jump a lot in the delivery stride and lose control. His body was not in control, all the energy was going into the jump which was going away from the batter. It needs to go towards the batter. So I just worked on that aspect and told him to stop tennis-ball cricket. Full credit to him because he worked on the changes. Now he has to play domestic cricket regularly. His pace has excited, but he needs to grow. That is important," Pathan says.

On Friday night, there will be another opportunity to see him bowl howitzers. Tune in.

Wrestler Anshu wins 57kg silver at Worlds

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

FINANCIAL stability is one of the main things that youngsters desire after taking up sports in the country. From the time that they start playing, one of their primary goals is to find a government job. With Indian Railways being the biggest employer for athletes in the country, most of these aspiring sportspersons dream of joining it once they carve out a niche for themselves on the sporting arena.

But Anshu Malik, who became the first woman wrestler from the country to win a silver medal at the World Championships in Oslo, Norway, on Thursday, is different. Offered a job by the Indian Railways ahead of the 2020 Tokyo Olympics, she chose not to join so that she can focus on wrestling and also complete her graduation. While she appeared in BA final year examinations days ahead of the Worlds, a historic medal in the event now means she is ready to take up the offer if made once again.

"Indian Railways made the offer before the Tokyo Games but she didn't accept it. The reason was to do well at the Olympics and complete graduation. The exam results will be declared soon. Now, she will join if offered a post," Dharamvir Malik, Anshu's father, told this daily. The 20-year-old Anshu had registered a dominating (11-0) win by superiority over Solomiia Vynnyk of Ukraine to storm into the 57kg final on Wednesday. By doing so, she had become the first woman wrestler from the country to storm into a Worlds final. Before her, only five Indian women wrestlers had won a bronze medal each in Worlds.

What made the feat more special was that she achieved it while nursing an elbow injury (muscle tear). The injury, however, seemed to have affected her show in the final where she lost to USA's Helen Louise Maroulis, a two-time Worlds gold medallist and also the first American woman to win an Olympic gold (2016 Rio), (1-4) by a fall.

Impressive win for KKR, on verge of play-offs

Shubman Gill's celebrates after reaching half-century on Thursday | SPORTZPICS

MARTIN JOSEPH @Kochi

KOLKATA Knight Riders' fate was firmly in their own hands going into their last group game against Rajasthan Royals on Thursday. Kolkata didn't have to produce anything extraordinary to ward off the late rally launched from Mumbai Indians, but they left nothing to chance by producing a thoroughly dominant display.

A defeat for Eoin Morgan's side would have unnecessarily complicated matters, but the pressure didn't faze them as they blew Rajasthan away by 86 runs to all but qualify. For Mumbai to make it, they need to beat Sunrisers Hyderabad by 171 runs on Friday.

After being put to bat first at the Sharjah Cricket Stadium, Kolkata's top order led by Shubman Gill (56) posted the highest score at this venue this season as they made 171/4.

Then led by Shivam Mavi (4/21) and Lockie Ferguson (3/18) who was returning to the team from injury, Kolkata cleaned up the Royals batting in no time as Rahul Tewatia (44) waged a lonely and losing battle. The win boosted Kolkata's net run rate further, making it a mountain to climb for Mumbai to overtake them now. Sanju Samson chose to bowl first and put pressure on Kolkata. But for the second straight game, the Royals were completely outplayed.

It was down to the Kolkata top order to give them a good start and set the tone — which they did yet again. On a slow surface, even the dashing Venkatesh Iyer couldn't free his arms but Kolkata managed to avoid losing any wickets in the powerplay as they were 34/0 in the first six overs.

Brief scores: KKR 171/4 in 20 ovs (Gill 56) bt RR 85 in 16.1 ovs (Mavi 4/21, Ferguson 3/18).

LEAGUE PHASE FINALE

SRH vs MI

With Kolkata Knight Riders completing a crashing victory over Rajasthan Royals on Thursday, Mumbai Indians' chances of making the play-offs seem merely academic. Mumbai have picked up pace in the last few days, but the lacklustre beginning that they had to the UAE leg seems set to cost heavily. For Sunrisers, this has been a wretched season given that they were out of the hunt long ago.

RCB vs DC

Both Delhi Capitals and Royal Challengers Bangalore have already qualified for the play-offs, but neither team will want to drop its guard before the play-offs. The standout feature of the Delhi side has been the pace bowling unit, with Anrich Nortje, Kagiso Rabada and Avesh Khan performing as a pack. It will be interesting to see what plans they have in place for an in-form Glenn Maxwell.

TODAY'S MATCHES : SRH VS MI & RCB VS DC, LIVE ON STAR SPORTS FROM 7.30 PM

Rahul shines as Punjab beat CSK

ENS @Chennai

ONE of the unintended consequences of the T20 format has been bastardisation of the word 'intent'. It's the main batting currency and batters either have it or not. KL Rahul, a few years ago, had it. These days, Rahul, who has gone on record to say 'strike-rates are very overrated', only shows it when the situation demands it.

In early evening Thursday Dubai sunshine, the situation demanded it. And the Punjab opener flexed his muscles with an unbeaten 98 off 42 balls to remind viewers of his unique 'see-ball, calculate the percentages in his head and hit the ball over the nearest boundary line' ability. Thursday evening was vintage Rahul, the 2018 version whose 659 runs came at a strike rate of 158.41. In 2019, 2020 and the better part of the 2021 season, the Kings' skipper adopted a different role, perhaps one to suit the side better.

Brief scores: CSK 134/6 in 20 ovs (Du Plessis 76) lost to PBKS 139/4 in 13 ovs (Rahul 98 n.o).

EXPRESS READ

Lacklustre India held by 205th-ranked Sri Lanka

DUBAI: INDIA produced yet another disappointing performance as they were held to a goalless draw by 205th ranked Sri Lanka despite a dominant display in their second SAFF Championships match here on Thursday. The seven-time champions paid the price of not creating enough chances and wasting those they got against a Sri Lankan side 98 places below them in the FIFA rankings.

Saudi group completes Newcastle takeover

LONDON: A Saudi-led consortium completed its takeover of Newcastle United on Thursday despite warnings from Amnesty International that the deal represented "sportswashing" of the Gulf kingdom's human rights record. The English top-flight said it had settled legal disputes that had initially stalled the takeover process, and received "legally binding assurances" that the Saudi Arabian government would not control the club.

Jemimah sparkles, but 1st T20I abandoned

GOLD COAST: Jemimah Rodrigues smashed 49 off 36 balls before heavens opened up to force the abandonment of the first Women's T20 International between India and Australia here on Thursday. India scored at a quick clip to reach 131 for 4 in 15.2 overs

Brief scores: India women 131/4 in 20 ovs (J Rodrigues 49 n.o) vs Australia women.

Match abandoned.

Nations League: Spain end Italy's record steak

MILAN: Ferran Torres put Spain into the Nations League final with a brace in a 2-1 win that ended Italy's record of unbeaten run at 37 matches. Torres struck twice in the first half to make sure that Spain won the Final Four clash at the San Siro in Milan, where they will face either France or Belgium in Sunday's final. Lorenzo Pellegrini scored for Italy in the 83rd minute.

MITHUN ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT, TO EXPLORE OPTIONS IN UK

ASHIM SUNAM @Bengaluru

KARNATAKA pacer Abhimanyu Mithun announced his retirement from domestic cricket on Thursday. The lanky bowler, who has been a brilliant servant for the state, scalped 338 first class wickets (103 matches), 136 List A (96) and 69 T20 (74). He represented India in four Tests and five ODIs respectively. The 31-year-old is expected to relocate to the UK with his family and remains keen to play in the UK.

"I am going to play outside as I will be relocating to the UK. Most probably, I will be playing there as the process is getting finalised too. I will also be playing other leagues. This is a good time to go and play there, rather than after the age of 35 or 36 or so. Also, I am moving to the UK due to family reasons. I want my kids to get UK citizenship as my wife is a UK citizen," Mithun said.

The lanky bowler, who made his first class debut in 2009 for Karnataka, is one of the respected cricketers in Karnataka. Mithun played an important role in helping Karnataka win a number of domestic titles. However, Mithun could not replicate his state performances for the national team. After making his India debut in 2010, he took nine Test and three ODI wickets. But, Mithun considers playing for India to be his biggest achievement. "I have represented my country at the highest level and will always be my biggest achievement. The joy and pride from it will be something I will cherish forever," the 31-year-old wrote in his retirement letter.

Abhimanyu Mithun

However, the pacer will always be remembered his exploits with the ball, while his passion and determination stood out when representing Karnataka. Alongside Vinay Kumar and Sreenath Arvind, they formed a dangerous pace attack. With the first two retiring in the last couple of seasons, Mithun shouldered responsibility of the lead bowler in the state and played his part in helping youngsters as well. "My cricketing journey would not have even started if it wasn't for the Karnataka State Cricket Association. They identified me, shaped me as a player and supported me through my highs and lows. It has been my honor to have played for Karnataka and win so many trophies for my state," said Mithun, who also featured for Royal Challengers Bangalore, Mumbai Indians and Sunrisers Hyderabad in the IPL.

LOCAL EXPRESS

KSLTA all-India ranking tournament from Monday

BENGALURU: The Karnataka State Lawn Tennis Association will be hosting the KSLTA All India Ranking Rs 2 Lakh Prize Money Open event from Oct 11 to 16.The tournament has attracted over 150 entries. The main draw consists of 32 players with 24 of them earning a direct entry based on their AITA ranking and eight qualifiers. The qualifying rounds are slated for October 9 and 10. There would be an open qualifying draw and players can sign in between 12 p.m. and 2 p.m. at KSLTA tennis stadium on Friday.

Karthikeya shines in Vultures' win

BENGALURU: Vultures Cricket Club defeated Hanumanthnagar Cricket Club by 236 runs in the KSCA Group I - I, II and III division U16 years inter club tournament. Karthikeya KP starred for the winning team as he scalped five wickets to dismiss Hanumanthnagar for 82 runs when chasing 319 runs for victory. Earlier, Vultures had scored 318 as Arnav Mishra top-scored with 97 runs.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients Sri. Vinayak Kariappa Chettimada and Smt. Savitha Podanolana Narayana are intending to purchase the house site bearing No. 460 which is described in schedule hereunder from Sri. M. Mathisoodanan S/o P. Madhavan Nair, Residing at C/o P Chandran, No 593, 14th Cross, Raja Mahal Vilas Extension II Stage, Bangalore- 560094. Any person/s, financial institutions and statutory authorities who claims any right, title, interest or has any objections of any nature to the afore said transaction should lodge such claim and/or objections in writing to the undersigned together with supporting documents within 15 days here of, failing which it will be presumed that no valid claims or objections subsists any, my clients would proceed to complete the transaction with the present owner thereof.

SCHEDULE

All that part and parcel of site bearing No 460 formed by HMT Employees Co-operative House Building Society, Bangalore- 560031, Sy. No. 34 to 39, 41 to 51 (Portion) of Narasipura Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore. Measuring East to west 40ft and North to south 61ft in all together 2440 Sq.ft bounded on the East by: Site No. 459, West by: Site No. 461, North by: Sy. No. 40, South by: Road.

N.S. Dakshath, Advocate
No. 70/5, 3rd Floor, 2nd Cross, Gandhinagar, Bangalore -09.
Mob: 8105300648

IN THE COURT OF THE XXVII ADDL. CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU

P & SC No. 570 / 2021 (CCH-9)

BETWEEN: 1. Mr. Vikramadhitya Raval, aged about 37 years, S/o Late Dr. Prithvi Raval R/a. #42, Rangarao Road, Brigade Ratna Apartment G5, Basavangudi, Bengaluru-560004.

2. Mrs. Sujana Raval, aged about 42 years W/o. Munish Sharma D/o. Late Dr. Prithvi Raval R/a #34349 Windsong Teer, Freemont California-94555 United States of America.

Represented by POA holder Mr. Vikramadhitya Raval, aged about 37 years S/o. Late Dr. Prithvi Raval R/a #42 Rangarao Road, Brigade Ratna Apartment G5, Basavangudi, Bengaluru-560004. ...PETITIONERS

AND : Nil ...RESPONDENTS

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, the above-named petitioners have made to this Court a petition under Section 372 of the Indian Succession Act, 1925, seeking grant of succession certificate for the assets belonging to their deceased father **Dr. Prithvi Raval who died on 04.05.2021** owned by him during his lifetime, in their favour.

Interested parties are hereby warned to appear before the XXVII Addl City Civil & Sessions Judge Bengaluru (CCH-9) in person or by pleader duly instructed **on the 22nd day of October, 2021 at 11:00 AM** inform to show cause against the petitioners failing which the matter will be heard and disposed off in accordance with law.

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS BELONGING TO LATE DR. PRITHVI RAVAL FOR SUCCESSION CERTIFICATE

A. ICICI Savings Bank Account Bearing Account No. 005301019199 at Jayanagar Branch, situated at Jayanagar 3rd Block, Bengaluru.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 05.10.2021.

By Order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Petitioner and Executors
Vivek .M.S, Advocate
No. 424, 5th Cross, 10th E Main, 1st Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru - 560 011.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby notified that, my clients **(1) Mr. Krishna Moorthy,** aged about 41 years, S/o Mr. Late Raja Ram. **(2) Mrs. Kodhainakshi,** aged about 40 years, W/o Mr. Krishna Moorthy, both are R/at No. 11, R.K. Nivas, 2nd Main, Shivaganga Street, Horamavu Road, Raghavendra Circle, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bangalore-560016, had intend to purchase the below mentioned Schedule property from its lawful owners. **(1). Mr. Varghese Paul Palamattam** S/o Mr. Paul Varghese Palamattam. **(2) Mrs. Alphonsa Varghese Palamattam** W/o Mr. Varghese Paul Palamattam. Both are R/at "Palamattam House", Donbosco Road, Kurjachira, Thirssur-680006. Presently at; Bangalore.

Any person or persons, Bank, financial institutions etc, having any valid right, title interest or any claim over the Schedule Property or any portions of it in any manner may with documentary evidence lodge their objections/ claim within 7 days from the date of this notice with the undersigned, if no valid objections are received within the stipulated date, our client shall proceed on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature with regard to the Schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable property of residential Site together with building bearing House List Khatha No. 119/1, House site No- 82 and 83, situated at Bileshivale, Athina Township III Stage, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Measuring East to West: 60 Fts, North to South 80 Fts, in all 4800 Sq. Fts, (consisting of one square house) and entire property fenced with fully cement blocked compound wall and bounded on: **East:** Road, **West:** House Site Nos.84 & 85, **North:** House Site No-81, **South:** Road Consisting of one square house with all basic amenities.

M/s Champs Associates
Advocates and Solicitors
No. 11, G-6, V.M.C. Complex, 10th Cross, Cubbon Pet, Bangalore-560002.
Dated: 07-10-2021

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby put to notice that our clients with an intention to purchase a suitable property under an absolute deed of sale are on the lookout of such property and on their instruction we are investigating the documents of property described in the schedule hereunder and the titles of Smt. Sujatha Prasad, wife of Sri N.M. Guru Prasad, and Sri Abhay G Magal, son of Sri N.M. Guru Prasad claiming to be joint owners of the schedule property.

All persons claiming any interest over the schedule property or any part thereof by way of sale, gift, lease, inheritance, exchange, mortgage, charge, lien, trust, possession, easement, attachment, Court decree or otherwise howsoever are hereby requested to make the same known to the undersigned at our office at the address mentioned hereunder within **10 days** from the date hereof, failing which any claim, demand, right, title, interest, dispute or objection, if any, of such person/s shall be treated as waived/abandoned and not binding on our Clients resulting in our Clients initiating further steps for the purchase of schedule property.

SCHEDULE : All that piece and parcel of entire house property bearing Nos.296/14/41, 299/398 (Earlier Site No.14, Katha No.398, Old Katha No.41), situated at Yelachenahalli, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, Corporation Ward No.185, presently within the limits and administration of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore together with structures measuring 2000 sq ft comprising of ground and First floors standing over the land measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 50 feet bounded on the.

East by: Property bearing No.15; **West by:** Property bearing No.13; **North by:** Property bearing No.19; and **South by:** Road.

Puthige R Ramesh, Latha Rao & Lakshmi S Holla
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Date : 04.10.2021

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public are hereby notified that my client Sri. Raghavendra.G.N. son of Nagaraju G K, Residing at No.249, Narayanappanapalya, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District, have proposed to purchase the schedule properties from its owner Sri. N. Vinodkumar son of Nagaraju, residing at No.20, 2nd Cross, 1st Block, Byarasandra, Jayanagara, Bengaluru-560011, formed a layout called, Lakshminarayana Enclave in the Sy.No.19/3 of Kudharagere Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk totally measuring 1 acre 14 guntas, in that Site No.24 is negotiated in terms. Therefore, any person/s, financial institutions, Banks, or otherwise claiming / asserting any rights of whatsocever nature and/or opposing sale of schedule property to my clients shall lodge their objections supported by authenticated documents to the undersigned within SEVEN DAYS from the date of publication of this Notice for scrutiny. Objections received after above period will not be considered, and my clients will proceed with completion of the sale thereafter.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Site No.24, collude out of Sy.No.19/3 measuring 1 acre 14 guntas of Kudharagere Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, in that Site No.24 measuring 1500 square feet, East to West 30 feet and North to South 50 feet, situated in Lakshminarayana Enclave, Kudharagere Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk and bounded on

East by: Site No.23, West by: Site No.25, North by: Site No.20, South by: Road.

GANESHA .P, Advocate
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Ph. 9980017788

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the general public that our client is intending to purchase the Residential Property bearing No.5, Khatha No.68/2/312/1, (Old Khatha No.312/1, Site formed in Property No.68/2), situated at Parappana Agrahara Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West 35 Feet., and North to South 32 Feet., totally measuring 1120 sq ft., together with all appurtenances whatsoever, whether situated on or above the surface, alongwith a residential building constructed thereon, consisting of Stilt, Ground, First and Second Floors, presently within the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, from its absolute owner by name Mr. Somashekar P. Mulimani, Aged about 46 years, S/o. Mr. M. Pompanna, Residing at No. #D1407, Aratt Requizza Apartments, Gollahalli Main Road, Near Neo Town Circle, Electronic City Bangalore – 560 100. Anybody having any claim, right or interest over the said property mentioned above or part of it shall submit to the undersigned Advocate with written objection along with documents within 10 days. After the stipulated period no claims will be entertained and our client will complete the transaction by getting the sale deed executed.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property bearing No.5, Khatha No.68/2/312/1, (Old Khatha No.312/1, Site formed in Property No.68/2), situated at Parappana Agrahara Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, now corning within the jurisdiction of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, measuring East to West 35 Feet., and North to South 32 Feet., totally measuring 1120 sq ft., together with all appurtenances whatsoever, whether situated on or above the surface, alongwith a residential building constructed thereon, consisting of Stilt, Ground, First and Second Floors, presently within the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, and bounded on **East by:** Remaining portion of the property, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property No.4.

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IN THE COURT OF CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH-23)

P & SC No. 356/2021

BETWEEN: Smt. T. LATHA, W/o. Late H. Krishnamurthy, Aged about 56 years, Residing in the House at No. F-119, N.P. Lane, Gonigara Pillanna Galli, Aralepete (Cottonpete), Bengaluru-560053. ...PETITIONER

AND

1) Smt. DIVYA K. MURTHY, W/o. Harsha L., D/o. Late H. Krishnamurthy, Aged about 35 years, Residing in the house at No. 646, 18th Main Road, Padmanabha Nagar, Bengaluru - 560 070.

2) RAHUL K. MURTHY, S/o. Late H. Krishnamurthy, Aged about 33 years, Residing in the house at No. F-119, N.P. Lane, Gonigara Pillanna Galli, Aralepete (Cottonpete), Bengaluru-560053.

3) THE COMMISSIONER, BBMP Main Office, Hudson Circle, Bengaluru - 560 002.

4) ASSISTANT REVENUE OFFICER, Office of the BBMP, Tulasi Tota, Chickpet Division, Bengaluru - 560 053. ...RESPONDENTS

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, the petitioner above named has filed the petition before this Hon'ble Court under **Sec. 276 of Indian Succession Act** for grant of Probate of the **WILL DEED, Dated: 23-09-2020, registered in Book No. III, Document No. CMP-3-00157/2020-21, stored in CD No. CMPD639, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar of Chamarajpet, Bengaluru,** which has been executed by her deceased husband H. Krishnamurthy, by declaring that the petitioner is the owner of the below mentioned two items of the schedule house building properties, since the husband of the petitioner and father of the respondents No. 1 & 2 i.e. H. Krishnamurthy, executant of the Will Deed has expired **on 16.12.2020.**

Hence, the interested parties having any right, title or interest in the below mentioned two items of the schedule house building properties, are hereby called upon to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed thereon, **on 10.11.2021 at 11.00 a.m. before the City Civil Court (CCH-23) at Bengaluru,** to show cause against the claim of the petitioner, failing which the above matter will be heard and decided in accordance with law in your absence.

SCHEDULES

ITEM No. 1: All that piece and parcel of the house building property bearing Corporation No. 94, present BBMP No. 3 in Old Ward No. 29, New Ward No. 120 in PID No. 29-17-3, situated in Gonigara Pillanna Galli, N.P. Lane, Cottonpete, Bengaluru - 560 053, measuring **East to West : 14½' feet and North to South : 46½' feet,** consisting of ground floor, 1st floor, 2nd floor and 3rd floor houses, bounded on:

East by: Property of Subbamma, West by: Property of Narayanaswamappa, North by: Nashyada Pillanna Road, South by: House Property of Ustad Venkatappa.

ITEM No. 2: All that piece and parcel of the house building property bearing Corporation Old No. 84, 93 and present BBMP No. 2 in Old Ward No. 29, New Ward No. 120 in PID No. 29-17-2, situated in Gonigara Pillanna Galli, N.P. Lane, Cottonpete, Bengaluru - 560 053, measuring **East to West : 19' feet and North to South : 28¼' feet,** consisting of ground floor, 1st floor, 2nd floor and 3rd floor houses, bounded on:

East by: Property of Ammayamma, Subbayamma and Rathnamma, West by: Property of Narayanaswamapa, North by: Gonigara Pillanna Lane (N.P. Lane), South by: Property of Ammayamma.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court on this 1st day of October 2021.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

B.G. THAMMAIAH, B.A.LL.B., Advocate
Roll No. KAR/105/1987
Office Chamber in Ground Floor, at No. 172/A, 8th Main Road, 4th Block, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560 010. Phone No.: 98456 61767

QuoteExpress IF YOU'RE GOING THROUGH HELL, KEEP GOING > WINSTON CHURCHILL

Ndakasi, a mountain gorilla who famously posed for a selfie with her caretaker at Congo's Virunga National Park, has died at 14 after a long illness, the park said in a recent statement.

NASA's Deep Space Atomic Clock, which has, since two years, pushed the timekeeping frontiers in space, has successfully ended its mission. The mission ended on September 18, the US space agency said in a statement.

Kids may be red line in Facebook regulation fight

Social network has bounced back from other scandals, but child-harm touches raw nerve

TECHNOLOGY

NEW YORK: Facebook's previous major scandals barely dented its global dominance, but experts said Wednesday the tech giant may have hit a red line this time: evidence that it knew children using its apps were at risk of being harmed.

A day after damning testimony to US lawmakers from Facebook whistleblower Frances Haugen, the long-established barriers to regulation -- stalled legislation, free speech protections and tech's rapid advances -- were still in place.

But an insider with the company's own documents, showing that Facebook knew its tools risked worsening young people's eating disorders or suicidal thoughts, may have been a turning point.

"The topic of kids being affected negatively by using Instagram or other social media apps is something Republicans and Democrats can agree upon," said Paul Barrett, deputy director of New York University's Stern Center for Business and Human Rights.

He said the level of cross-party civility in Tuesday's hearing was something he'd not seen in years, showing some of the impact of the drubbing Facebook has taken because of Haugen's leaks. She exposed reams of internal research to authorities and The Wall Street Journal in an exposure that has fueled one of the social network's most serious crises yet.

The company has bounced back from other scandals like the one involving Cambridge Analytica, a British consulting firm that used the personal data of millions of Facebook users to target political ads.

In that case, Facebook's CEO Mark Zuckerberg went to Washington to apologize and the company agreed to a $5 billion settlement with US regulators.

American lawmakers have not passed any laws targeting the company, despite the outrage over the hijacking of personal data of millions of users ahead of the 2016 US presidential election.

However, this new revelation about Facebook's behavior has seemingly hit a raw nerve.

"There are certain political issues that tend to be galvanizing for folks and child protection is a key one," said Allie Funk, senior research analyst in technology and democracy at Freedom House.

Closer scrutiny

She noted that political fights and the thorny issue of freedom of speech on Facebook are still major barriers to significant reforms, but so is information.

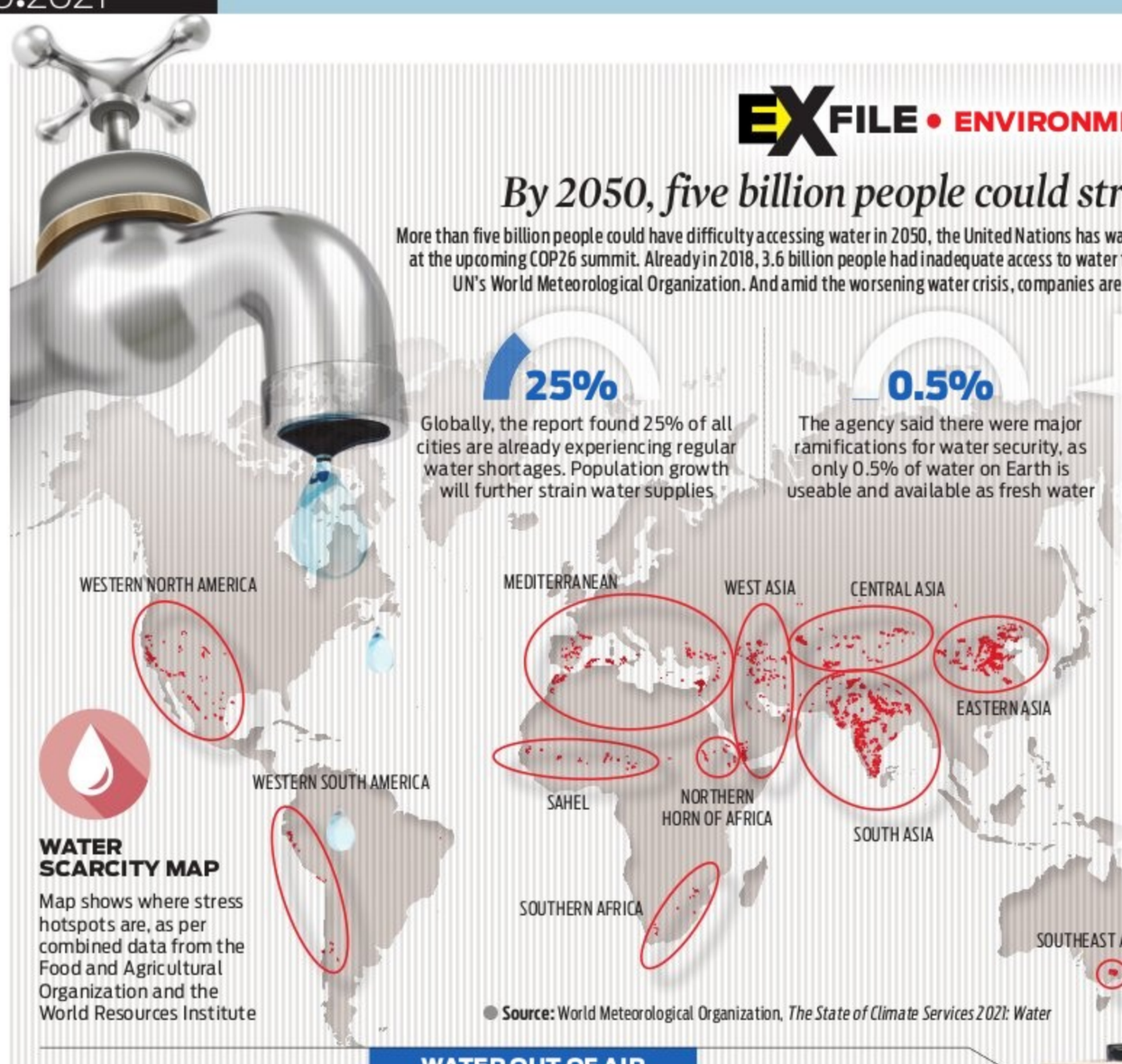
"How are we going to make smart policy solutions if we don't have insight into what's going on (inside Facebook)?" Funk asked.

Facebook is famously insular, with whistleblower Haugen describing the internal belief that "if information is shared with the public, it will just be misunderstood."

EXFILE • ENVIRONMENT

By 2050, five billion people could struggle to get water

More than five billion people could have difficulty accessing water in 2050, the United Nations has warned in a new report, urging leaders to seize the initiative at the upcoming COP26 summit. Already in 2018, 3.6 billion people had inadequate access to water for at least one month per year, said the report from the UN's World Meteorological Organization. And amid the worsening water crisis, companies are building machines that can make water out of air



WATER SCARCITY MAP

Map shows where stress hotspots are, as per combined data from the Food and Agricultural Organization and the World Resources Institute

Source: World Meteorological Organization, *The State of Climate Services 2021: Water*

25%

Globally, the report found 25% of all cities are already experiencing regular water shortages. Population growth will further strain water supplies

0.5%

The agency said there were major ramifications for water security, as only 0.5% of water on Earth is useable and available as fresh water

1 cm

The WMO stressed that over the last 20 years, the levels of water stored on land – on the surface, in the subsurface, in snow and ice – had dropped at a rate of one centimetre per year. This may not seem like much, but on a global level it can have huge impact

WATER LOSSES

The biggest losses are in Antarctica and Greenland, but many highly-populated lower latitude locations are experiencing significant water losses in areas that traditionally provide water supply, said the WMO

Increasing temperatures are resulting in global and regional precipitation changes, leading to shifts in rainfall patterns and agricultural seasons, with a major impact on food security and human health and well-being

WMO chief Petteri Taalas

WATER OUT OF AIR

In California, one of the driest regions in North America, some are buying devices that make water out of air

The expensive systems work like air conditioners by using coils to chill air, then collect water drops in a basin

It is not a radically new idea. Several companies in India have come up with such devices in recent years

Moisture | The machine in the picture on the right is one of several that extract water from humidity in air. Other inventions include mesh nets, solar panels and shipping containers that harvest moisture

Odd name | The machine from Washington-based Tsunami Products dehumidifies the air and in doing so creates water that's filtered to make it drinkable

8,600 litres

The technology works especially well in foggy areas and depending on the size can produce between 900 and 8,600 litres of water a day. The machines also operate efficiently in any area with high humidity

$200,000

The prices of such a machine ranges from $30,000 to $200,000. But buyers say it more than pays for itself in the long run

We really actually need to curb climate warming to really make a difference again

Helen Dahlke, from the University of California, Davis, told the Associated Press in reference to avoiding future droughts

EXPERT VIEW

Helen Dahlke, a US hydrology researcher, said the technology makes sense for individual homeowners, especially in rural areas. But she said it is not a practical solution for broader water woes

FACT OF THE MATTER

Plant-based eggs & shrimp

FOOD

Nestle is offering plant-based alternatives to eggs and shrimp as the Swiss food giant expands its menu in the growing vegan market. Nestle, owner of everything from chocolate to coffee and baby food brands, has for several years been reorganising its activities to focus more on health. The Swiss company has among other things been making a major push in vegetarian and vegan products. Its latest offerings are the "vEGGie" and "Vrimp". The egg substitute is made from soy protein and omega-3 fatty acids.

Pfizer shot for kids aged 5-11

MEDICINE

Pfizer asked the US government Thursday to allow use of its Covid-19 vaccine in children ages 5 to 11 in what would be a major expansion that could combat an alarming rise in serious infections in youngsters and help schools stay open. If regulators give the go-ahead, reduced-dose kids' shots could begin within a matter of weeks for the roughly 28 million US children in that age group. Many parents and pediatricians are clamoring for protection for youngsters under 12, the current age cutoff for Covid-19 vaccinations in the US.

FIRST-EVER THERAPY FOR DENGUE FOUND

MEDICINE

TOKYO: Dengue affects tens of millions each year, producing brutal symptoms that have earned it the moniker "breakbone fever," but new research may have found the first-ever treatment for the virus.

Tests in cell cultures and mice found that a newly identified compound can effectively disarm dengue, stopping it from replicating and preventing disease, according to a study published Wednesday in the journal Nature. And it appears to be effective whether taken protectively before infection or as a treatment after the virus is contracted. There is no doubt about the threat posed by the mosquito-borne dengue virus, which is estimated to infect at least 98 million people a year and is endemic in 128 countries worldwide. And because there are four different strains, infection with one does not protect against another, and catching dengue a second time is often more serious.

No treatment exists so far, with efforts focusing instead on reducing transmission -- including a programme that infects mosquitoes with disease-resistant bacteria. A vaccine called Dengvaxia is approved for use only in some countries and is effective against a single strain. Enter the unassumingly named JNJ-A07, a compound found by screening thousands of potential candidates.

Its effect "in infected animals is unprecedented", Neyts, who helped lead the research, told AFP. "Even if treatment is started at the time of peak viral replication there is important antiviral activity," added Neyts, a professor of virology at the University of Leuven, Belgium.

ONE-OF-A-KIND

Mughal-era diamond under the hammer

HISTORY

LONDON: A pair of rare bejewelled spectacles from an unknown princely treasury from 17th century Mughal era in India will be offered at auction for the first time, with estimates of GBP 1.5 million and GBP 2.5 million each, Sotheby's London announced on Thursday. The diamond pair of glasses, named the Halo of Light, and the emerald pair, named the Gate of Paradise, will go on display at Sotheby's London from October 22 in the lead up to their auction at the Arts of the Islamic World & India sale on October 27. The story of the unique spectacles begins in 17th century Mughal India, at a time when imperial wealth, scientific knowledge and artistic endeavour all reached their peak. Commissioned by an unknown prince, an artist shaped a diamond, weighing over 200 carats, and a brilliant emerald, weighing at least three hundred carats, into two masterpieces. Testament to the technical skill involved, no comparable example of either is known to exist. In 1890, the lenses were placed in new frames, decorated with rose-cut diamonds.

The original patron for whom these extraordinary spectacles were commissioned remains unknown, but they stem from a rich period of artistic and architectural achievement during the Great Mughal reigns of emperors Akbar (1556-1605), Jahangir (1605-1627), Shah Jahan (1627-1658) and Aurangzeb (1658-1707).

The emerald and diamond pairs of spectacles | SOTHEBY'S

"The quality and purity of the gemstones is itself extraordinary and stones of this size would no doubt have been the reserve of an emperor. The diamonds are flawless, thought to be from the mines of Golconda in Southern India," Sotheby's experts note. "Cleaved as a pair from a single natural diamond, possibly the largest ever found, they now together weigh 25 carats. The faceting around the edge displays extreme skill..."

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